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Increased Value of Grain in Eastern Over Western States.

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Agricultural Colleges--The Public Lands--Horticulture.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 29.—The National Agricultural Congress commenced business this morning, Mr. Garland, of Illinois, in the chair. The minutes were read and approved. Some new delegates were admitted.

FUNDS.

Gen. Jackson, of Tennessee, reported from the Executive Council, recommending that the deficiency in the fund to pay the debts incurred by the Secretary for printing be supplied by voluntary subscription; that the Committee of Five on Finance be a standing committee of the Congress, which should communicate with all the farmers' clubs and agricultural societies in the country, asking their co-operation; that each society and club be entitled to one delegate, no matter how small the club, and all State agricultural societies to two delegates, the entrance fee to be fixed by the Committee.

Meredith, of Indiana, believed the masses of the people were fighting monopoly, but not with money. All they needed was enough to carry on the business and pay the expenses of the Congress.

After discussion, the report was adopted.

The ladies of Indianapolis were invited to attend the Congress.

TRANSPORTATION.

Mr. Lawton, of South Carolina, offered the following:

Resolved, That, in order to secure a reduction in the present extreme rates of railway and marine transportation of American produce, it is absolutely necessary that from and all supplies necessary for the construction of railways, steamships, and other vessels be admitted into the United States free of duty.

2. That the extreme cost of rails has been a serious tax on the roads of the entire country, and at this time many roads West and South, who are cramped in their finances, are in almost an unsafe condition, the rails having been much worn, and they without the means of replacing them.

3. That the reason why many roads in the South and West do not pay is on account of the contracted policy pursued by them in exacting extreme rates on freight and passengers, with the view, as they conceive, of making expenses, the facts being that 4 or 5 cents per mile per passenger amounts to a prohibitory tariff for no citizen of moderate means thinks of leaving home except for necessary business or health, and freight is scheduled a year or months to be shipped by water rather than entail the heavy charges levied.

4. That the time has come when a new policy must be adopted, viz: Farmers and Patrons of Husbandry generally must take more interest in the organization and construction of railroad companies and transportation companies of the lakes and ocean; that all companies chartered should be limited to the act under which they work, and should not be allowed to purchase or otherwise come in possession of other corporations nor amalgamate with other companies.

The resolutions were referred to the Committee on Transportation.

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE.

Mr. Ritchie, of Ohio, offered a preamble setting forth that the importation of foreign wool last year reduced the price of American wool less than half the price of one year ago, while the current prices of clothing and woolen goods to the consumer were as high as ever heretofore;

Resolved, That the members of the several societies, as well as farmers and workingmen, be requested to use their influence so with Congress that, whether we have a high or low, or protective or prohibitory or a revenue tariff, it may operate equally on all classes of the country, promote the greatest good of the greatest number, and not protect a small number at the expense and greater cost of the masses of the people.

Referred to the Committee on Miscellany.

UNJUST LEGISLATION.

Mr. Longerman, of Indiana, moved that the United States Commissioner of Agriculture be requested to consult with the State Board or special boards chosen by him, and to revise and examine such legislation as has been enacted, and which operates to the prejudice of agriculture, such as the transportation laws, tariff, and revenue laws; that he prepare a statement of the injuries inflicted by such legislation, and that the Department of Agriculture be empowered by Congress to protect against or disapprove of such legislation as is injurious to the agricultural interest.

Referred to Miscellaneous Committee.

HORTICULTURE.

Mr. Hendley, of Alabama, offered a resolution providing that Congress should consider the feasibility of furnishing a complete nomenclature, on a scientific basis, of the grape as cultivated in the United States. Referred to the Committee on Horticulture.

ROTATION OF CROPS.

Mr. Stephens, of Minnesota, offered a resolution recommending rotation of crops. Referred to the Committee on Crops.

SOCIETY ORGANIZATION.

Mr. Stillson, of Minnesota, reported from the Committee of Society Organization, against the proposition to establish fourteen standing committees, and recommended the appointment of Committees on Transportation, and Weather and Crop Reports, to whom papers on these subjects should be referred, and upon which they should report to the next Congress. Adopted.

ENTOMOLOGY.

Mr. Reilly, of Missouri, from the Committee on Entomology, reported, offering resolutions providing that Congress shall require railroad companies and settlers receiving the benefit of the homestead acts to plant trees on one-tenth of their land; that agricultural colleges should give more attention to forest and tree planting and horticulture; that railroads be requested to plant trees on their lands; that each State should employ an entomologist, and that agricultural societies should give more attention to the subject. Adopted.

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES.

Prof. Thompson, of Nebraska, from the Committee on Agricultural Colleges, recommended the adoption of the following resolutions presented by Prof. Reed:

Resolved, That the body here assembled for the promotion of agriculture approves and indorses the efforts now being made to secure additional aid from Congress in behalf of the colleges established in consequence of the land grant of 1862, in order to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions of life.

Resolved, That the bill known as the Morrill bill, which passed the Senate by a large majority, with the amendment thereto which passed the House of Representatives by a large majority, shows the liberal spirit of Congress in behalf of scientific practical education, and an increasing interest in that kind of education which encourages the application of science to the practical arts of life.

Resolved, That a committee from this body be appointed to memorialize Congress on this subject, and otherwise promote it in any manner as they may think best.

Mr. Torrey, of Wisconsin, made a minority report, recommending that the resolutions be not concurred in, as the public domain should be held for practical settlers, and colleges had never been truly agricultural.

Mr. Martin, of Indiana, opposed the adoption of the report, because he believed the public lands should not be squandered in any such way. The public lands belonged to the whole people—to the poor man as well as to the rich. What benefit would the masses of the people derive from the lands if devoted to agricultural colleges? How many of the sons of poor farmers would learn farming in these colleges? Not one in a thousand. The place to learn farming was between the handles of the plow. Why should he be taxed for the scientific education of a kid-glove farmer who would look down on poor men and scorn to speak to them? The public lands should be reserved for actual settlers. It was as much a steal to bestow these lands on these colleges as to give them to railroads or private corporations. He could not believe in a Congress that would vote for such a report, and he warned them that the farmers would never indorse such action. The poor men desired these lands to be left for their children to occupy in the years to come. They should be left to actual settlers.

Prof. Reed, of the Missouri Agricultural College, gave a history of the scientific application to the practical arts of life, and contended that there never had been a grant of land made that produced such beneficent results. He believed the public lands should be devoted to the maintenance of agricultural colleges. The Morrill bill did not affect the interests of homestead settlers.

Mr. Anthony, of Kansas, did not believe the action of Congress sprung from the people. [Applause.] He was in Washington when the scheme was begun. Congress and the farmers who urged it were Presidents and agents of agricultural colleges. They were the farmers who were asking Congress to place the last scrap of the public lands in Territorial control. The same attempt to indorse the swindle was made at the St. Louis Congress, and it failed. Now they came again with resolutions almost in the same language, and tried to force them through that body. Agricultural colleges had failed to accomplish the objects for which they were established. What were the fruits of the ten million of public lands given away to support these institutions? Did the gentleman from Missouri contend that his institution was a success? That was the college over which Senator Patterson, of New Hampshire was invited to preside, because he was versed in stock-raising, and Credit Mobilier stock. [Applause and laughter.] He knew nothing of agriculture, and was not a sample of the men who ruled over these colleges. All of the Presidents of these institutions, with the exception of the President of the Ohio College, claimed in Washington that the colleges were intended to teach the classics instead of agriculture. These colleges were intended to educate farmers' sons to be to agriculture what theological colleges are to the pulpits. Did the farmers find any such colleges? The object of the colleges was perverted.

Prof. Reed excused the deficiencies of the colleges, on the ground that they were not established long enough to be perfect.

Mr. Stephens, of Indiana, moved to lay the reports on the table, to be called up at the pleasure of the Congress. The motion prevailed.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

Mr. Poole, of Indiana, from the Miscellaneous Committee, reported on a resolution recommending the purchase direct from the manufacturer of farming implements, to the effect that the matter might safely be left to the discretion of the local clubs. Adopted.

EIGHT-HOUR LAW.

The same Committee recommended the adoption of the Millikens resolution, published yesterday, condemning the Eight-hour law, and requesting Congress to repeal it.

Mr. Papin, of South Carolina, did not think the law interfered in any way with agriculture, and they should not touch it.

Mr. Parker, of Illinois, believed the law was an injury to farmers. It might work well enough in trades, but when a farm-hand insisted upon obeying the law it frequently resulted in loss and disaster.

Mr. Milliken, of Ohio, believed the question of labor was more important than that of transportation. All laws regulating labor were the curse of the land. Employers and employes should be left free to make their own bargains. There were combinations and organizations controlling labor just as there were monopolies controlling capital. The eight-hour law had raised the price of coal, of agricultural implements, and of everything the farmer consumed. The farmer had to pay the piper. The law making eight hours a legal day's work in Government employment simply indorsed the action of the trades unions and the Communists, who claimed a man should not work more than eight hours out of twenty-four. He believed that law cost the farmers $100,000,000 a year. Was not that a fit subject for the consideration of an Agricultural Congress? They were oppressed by railroads, but they were under the worse tyranny of the eight-hour law. The producing classes were robbed by the law, which added 25 per cent to the cost of what they purchased.

Mr. Stephenson, of Indiana, did not think the law affected farmers, and the proposition to repeal the law came with a bad grace from a Congress of working farmers. They had enough to do to fight the railroads, without undertaking to fight the workingman.

Mr. Milliken thought the workingmen and the poor were oppressed by the law, and he meant to cast no reflections on workingmen. The law was unjust in principle to all classes. All business and employment should be left entirely free and untrammeled by laws whether of the Government, of trades-unions, or Communists. Such laws and combinations were improper and villainous, and more oppressive on the poor than on the rich. Capitalists could afford extortion. The poorer classes could not.

Mr. Poole, of Indiana, did not think the law made much difference outside of Government work, because men made their own bargains any way.

Mr. Stillson, of Wisconsin, did not think they should pass a resolution arraying workingmen against them. He agreed with the sentiment of the resolutions, but believed they were unwise at that time. He moved to indefinitely postpone the report.

Mr. Stephenson, of Indiana, did not see the necessity of passing a resolution that would take every workingman's vote from them when they wanted the same votes to help elect legislators and Congressmen who would regulate railroads. The interests of the farmers and laboring men were identical, and they should do nothing to alienate the one from the other.

Mr. Sutton, of Illinois, understood that the Congress was in the interest of agriculture, and he believed the law discriminated against farmers. It drove the rural population to cities and towns. Workmen voted with their employers—railroads and other corporations. If they wanted votes, they should depend upon farmers.

Mr. Anthony, of Kansas, believed the Congress was engaged in what they were condemning in the laboring classes—endeavoring to enhance the value of their labor and products. The workingman had a right to sell his labor to the best advantage. The resolutions were supremely buncombe.

The report of the Committee, including the resolutions, were voted down by an overwhelming majority.

JAMES RIVER AND KANAWHA CANAL.

Mr. Williams, of Indiana, offered a resolution endorsing the James River and Kanawha Canal in connection with the improvement of the Ohio and Kanawha Rivers, and requesting Congress to make appropriations therefor. Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

RAILROAD PASSES.

Mr. Jones, of Georgia, offered a resolution to appoint a committee of three to confer with the railroads, and solicit the usual reduced fare courtesies to the members of the Congress.

Mr. Dalton, of Illinois, believed the resolution was inconsistent with the intentions of the Convention. They should ask no courtesies, nothing but justice. The passage of the resolution would destroy the essential objects of the Convention. [Applause.]

Mr. Taylor, of Indiana, did not come there to destroy the good feeling between the railroads and the farmers, and the rejection of courtesies they might get from railroads would evince a disposition of senseless prejudice.

Mr. Bliss, of Vermont, believed the neglect of the Congress to seek the usual courtesies would be throwing down the gauntlet to the railroads without any particular necessity for so doing.

Mr. Smith, of Illinois, told of the representatives of 100 Granges in Iowa who wanted on the railroad agents in Chicago, requesting liberal rates for carrying grain to Chicago, on the ground that there would be much suffering if the appeal was refused. It was refused, and they might as well ask of a hungry wolf.

Mr. Williams, of Indiana, did not believe the Congress could be influenced by a free ride. He had seen members of Legislatures with their pockets filled with passes to prevent them from regulating railroads.

Mr. Martin was opposed to the whole system of bribery, corruption, and deadheadism. The issue of a free pass was not a courtesy; it was an attempt to get something for nothing and he was against legislative and other passes.

Mr. Dalton, of Illinois, warned them that the people were distrustful of every man with a railroad pass in his pocket, and how could they return and meet the accusation that they received courtesies from the enemy of the people. So soon as they adopted the resolution, the utility of the Congress was at an end.

Mr. Duke, of Virginia, moved to lay the resolution on the table.

The motion prevailed,—30 to 20,—many not voting.

Adjourned until 2 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Congress reassembled. New delegates from Alabama, Virginia, and Kansas were reported, and William P. Burt, representative of the Kanawha Canal, admitted to a seat.

A communication from the Secretary of the Centennial Commission, asking the co-operation of the Congress in the exhibition in 1876, was ordered on file.

Mr. Pepin, of South Carolina, offered a resolution looking to the formation of turnpike railroads. Referred.

Mr. Overman, of Illinois, offered a resolution recommending the planting of forest trees and osage orange hedges wherever practicable. Referred.

RAILROAD PASSES AGAIN.

Mr. Smith, of Georgia, moved to take from the table the resolution to appoint a Committee to confer with the railroads and ask for reduced rates home.

The motion prevailed—86 to 24, and after an hour's discussion, in which the speeches of the morning were repeated, the resolution was again lost—30 to 26.

TRANSPORTATION.

The report of the Committee on Transportation was read by Mr. Flagg, as follows:

The cheap transportation of persons and property is a national necessity. Our country is immense and its climate, productions, and wants very varied and diverse in its different parts. The eminent thinker, Dr. Draper, in his "Civil Policy of America," has stated that he regards cheap transportation, even looking at it simply as a means of consulting, fraternizing, and unifying our population as a natural necessity. If not true, if possible, is the statement that the greatest good of the masses of the people is to be subserved by furnishing all articles whose production is local, but whose consumption is general and necessary, at the lowest possible cost of transportation. Eight States in the Northwest produced 860,000,000 bushels of cereals in 1873—60 bushels for every man, woman, and child of its population, and enough, properly distributed, to feed the whole 40,000,000 of the nation, while the East had not grain enough to last her more than three months of the year, and the four Southern States of South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, and Florida required 40,000,000 more bushels of grain than they grew. Pennsylvania has seas unless mines of coal. Massachusetts, with her immense factories, has none. The Southern States have a soil eminently adapted to the production of cotton and sugar, articles sought and needed by all portions of the more Northern States. Missouri has her immense mines of iron, whose manufacture and use goes everywhere. The Pacific Coast has her mines, her wheat, and her minerals valuable to all. To fetch and carry these raw products, and the secondary products of their manufacture, from producer and consumer, at the lowest cost, is the most worthy and most desirable object of the day. It will remove an oppressive burden that now rests like an incubus upon the producing interests of the country, and give cheap food, cheap fuel, and cheap clothing to the people everywhere. In examining into this subject we find that in the first place the present avenues for freight and transportation are insufficient, or at least as now organized and operated do not do their proper work. Our water routes are obstructed by falls and rapids that are not improved; by shoals and sand-bars that are not removed, so that for months of the year are blockaded by ice or by low water. The railways, being used both for passenger and freight transportation, can carry only relatively small amounts of freight, and both water and railway transportation lack the efficiency of warehouses, elevators, and other modes of handling freight at our principal inland and seaboard cities. We have, moreover, that rates charged by transportation companies are exorbitant, as compared with the necessary cost, and a history in their character at points remote from the great markets. Thus, Quincy and Mr. R. R. Jefferson have demonstrated that it is possible to carry a bushel of grain from St. Louis or Chicago to Liverpool by rail for 6 cents, and we believe 10 cents per bushel is ample to do so, the statistics show that during the last five years the charges for each carriage have averaged over 21 cents from Chicago, and over 37 cents from St. Louis, or from three to five times the necessary cost. The rates by water, while considerably lower, are still much above the necessary cost, and in the northern part of the country are imperative during the winter season. The charges of elevators and other warehouses have at many points been also exorbitant and oppressive. Thus, in seasons of plenty, the producer finds the price of his products reduced below the cost of production, and in seasons of scarcity the consumers must pay unwarrantable and unbearable prices for the necessaries of life. Not only this, but inasmuch as the seaboard prices, except in cities of local scarcity, fix the prices at the interior markets, the result is that the high prices of freight are carried from the seaboard to the producer, even upon what he sells at home. With an immense region of wheat and other grain-growing country coming up in the Northwest, these evils to our special farming interests threaten to be greatly aggravated and increased in the future. We may add that the unjust discriminations of railroad corporations have aggravated and fomented the evil. Discriminations are unduly exciting and build up the prosperity of competing points, and depressing and destroying those of other points. Real estate is depreciated, manufacturing and agriculture languish, and the country is even become demoralized by reason of unjust discriminations. In view of these facts, your Committee believes that due encouragement should be given to the opening of new routes, and the improvement of old ones, so as to furnish transportation at cheap rates between all parts of the republic. Among these, we would call attention to the following, which, from a cursory examination, seem to have more or less merit: The Niagara Ship Canal; the Caughnawaga & Champlain Canal route from the St. Lawrence to New York; the Fox River Canal, of Wisconsin; the James River & Kanawha through water line; the Illinois & Michigan Canal and the Illinois River improvement, the Atlantic & Great Western Canal, and the Mississippi and Apalachicola Canal along the Gulf coast. The Southern Pacific and Northern Pacific Railroads are already aided by grants of lands, and their construction it is believed secured, and we believe will be important means of relieving the pressure of transcontinental transportation. The scheme of the Eastern & Western Transportation Company also promises a valuable new through route from the Northwest to the Atlantic. We call attention to and ask an investigation of the merits of the narrow-gauge railroads, as much cheaper in their construction and operation than the existing railways; of freight tracks or railways adapted especially to cheap transportation, and of tram railways laid upon the common highways of the country, which we believe can be done at a cost not exceeding that of macadamized roads. We recommend that efforts be made and persevered in until all railway corporations shall be subject to the regulation of the General and State Governments, so as to insure the absolute and perpetual prohibition and prevention of extortionate charges and unjust discriminations. We recommend that all men who believe the rights of the people should be protected from the extortions and discriminations of transportation monopolies should unite in reforming the Executive, Judicial, and Legislative Departments of our National and State Governments by excluding therefrom the proprietors and servants of such monopolies. We deprecate, finally, the practice of the Executive, Judicial, and Legislative officers in accepting favors from transportation corporations, whose interests are more or less in conflict with those of the people whom such officers were elected to serve.

The following resolutions were presented:

WHEREAS, We recognize the railroads of the country as an effective means of developing its agricultural resources, and as having an interest in common and inseparable with the country through which they pass; and

WHEREAS, We have in times past fostered and aided them by liberal charters and concessions, made by public and private parties, and still desire to encourage further development of the railway system; therefore,

Resolved, That a fair degree of reciprocity would suggest that corporations having a common interest and public aid should in their turn endeavor to subserve the interests of the country through which they pass by charging fair rates for freight, and by the most equitable and just treatment of all points along their lines.

Resolved, That, on the contrary, railroad corporations in many instances have been exorbitant in their charges, have discriminated unjustly between localities, and have failed to respond to the generous grants of power and moneys that have been given them by our national and local Governments.

Resolved, That the system adopted and now practiced in the building of railroads, the soliciting of stock subscriptions from individuals, corporations, and counties, and after receiving these subsidies to depress the value of said stock by forcing it upon the market and depressing its value to such an extent as to enable a few speculators to have control of the road, thereby depriving those who aided in its construction of all voice in its management, increasing its cost four or five times above the amount it would have cost if those managing it in the outset had had the foresight to have had the funds on hand at its start to build and equip the road, then required by the producer and shipper to pay dividends upon the fictitious cost by charging exhorbitant freight and passenger tariffs, operates most injuriously to the best interests of the farming class, and calls loudly for reform and restraint by adequate legislation.

Resolved, That we recommend all farmers to withhold their votes and their aid from railway corporations, unless it be fully conceded that corporations so aided are subject to regulation by the power incorporating them, and will not, after receiving the advantages conferred by public authority, claim the immunities of a private corporation.

Resolved, That we indorse, and will support, the doctrine promulgated by some of our courts, that a railway corporation receiving and exercising the State's right of eminent domain, and receiving aid raised by taxation from public authorities, has thereby accepted and admitted itself to be a corporation with a public function and subject to the power from which it has received its charter in the limitation of its rates; and

Resolved, That a railway being practically a monopoly, controlling the transportation of nearly all the country through which it passes, and that competition except at a few points cannot be relied upon to fix rates, that therefore it becomes the duty of the State to fix reasonable and medium rates, affording a fair remuneration to the transporters, and without being an onerous charge to the producer and consumer;

Resolved, That inasmuch as Belgium has succeeded in regulating the rates upon railways by government lines, we ask an investigation of the proposition to control the rates upon existing railways by trunk lines, and controlled by the State authorities, and run at uniform and cheap rates.

Resolved, That the consolidation of parallel lines of railways is contrary to public policy, and should be prohibited by law.

Resolved, That no railway corporation owning or controls a line or lines in two or more States has the right and duty of the General Government to regulate the rates of freight and fare upon such lines, under the constitutional power to regulate commerce between the States.

Resolved, That we recommend a thorough organization of local, county and State organizations for the purpose of reforming these great abuses, and dealing equal and exact justice to all men.

Prof. Brown, representing the Agricultural Department at Washington, believes there should be a greater diversity of labor in the Mississippi Valley. Much of the crude products should be consumed at home, and only the final products of labor should be shipped. While mile-wide wheat-fields and mile-wide cotton-fields and mile-wide cornfields are the wonder of the world, and while mile-wide railroad-tracks and mile-wide railroad-bridges are the pride of the country, and while mile-wide railroad-shops were 1,000 miles away, and the food of the West had to be shipped East to the consumers, whose products had to be transported back to the food-producers, the transportation-lines would be masters of the situation. If the West had spent half as much money in establishing manufactures as has been given to railroads, the transportation problem would have been solved, because their products would be consumed at home.

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THE COURTS.

The Equities of Liquor Selling ---Chapin & Gore Want to Enjoin the City.

The "Republic" Creditors to Get a Dividend of 25 Per Cent ---The Accounts.

Chumasero's Friends Take a Hand in the Shanahan & West Business.

A Novelty in Tax-Certificates] Litigation---The Lehman Estate for Partition.

Claims Allowed Against the "Lamar"---The Scott Estate ---Bankruptcy Matters.

Before Judge Farwell, yesterday morning, Mr. Asay made his application for an injunction restraining the city from interfering with Messrs. Chapin & Gore's liquor business during the pendency of the suits recently appealed. The counsel alluded to the fact that the greater portion of Messrs. Chapin & Gore's business was made up of the rush of thirsty theatre-goers after the play is over. He referred to the various events in the case,—the passing of the 11?o'clock ordinance, its going into effect as law, Chapin & Gore's three appearances before Banyon, and their appeal to a higher court. The main points of the argument for the injunction were based on the destructive nature of the ordinance as regarded the business it contracts; that there is no real advantage to the city to press the matter until after the undecided point is settled; that they cannot suffer by granting an injunction, inasmuch as would be able to sue upon infractions of the law after, as immediately upon, their occurrence; that the license contains a provision of right to sell liquors from July 1, 1873 to that date 1873, to be "subject to such ordinances as are now and may be hereafter in force:" that such latter provision is not observed right to the city, to pass any ordinance it pleases, but merely a right to pass such ordinance as the citizens may require,—that is, a reasonable ordinance. Mr. Asay then drew a distinction between the 11 o'clock law and the Sunday law, characterizing the latter as involving a violation of morals, while the first stands upon a naked, positive obligation to obey what the Common Council commands; and urged that the city has no power to pass a law which the necessities of the citizens do not require, and that when such necessity is swept away the ordinance itself falls. The State laws, he argued, give the city a right to issue licenses for one year, and such law ought to protect the receiver of the license as well as the granter. The granting of licenses is done with a view of first: increasing the revenue; and second, as a quasi-police measure. Taking the license in view of a contract, Mr. Asay asked What right has the city to make a change in the same after its issue? arguing that if the city can restrain liquor-sellers from transacting business during certain hours, it can also restrain them from selling during a longer time than an hour every day. It has no right to make any change other than what the public necessity produces, and no such necessity exists in the present case. Mr. Asay concluded by stating that he asked for the injunction solely on the merits of the unconstitutionality and unreasonable nature of the ordinance, and to ascertain whether the city has power to make such ordinances, and whether such parties as his clients can be protected from vexatious suits or not.

Gen. Stiles followed, on behalf of the city, and stated that the reasonableness of the ordinance was fully believed in by the Common Council. Complainants stand in a position similar to that of hundreds of others in the city, who might put in similar claims with regard to the ordinance's unreasonable nature. There is no ordinance but Messrs. Chapin & Gore; they must await the slow action of the Courts. He had looked in vain for a precedent to the present application, but had been able to find no single instance. The power of the Common Council to make the law in unquestioned; they are allowed to license, regulate and restrain "liquor-sellers, and the ordinance in question is a regulating and restraining ordinance. He considered that there was no argument in complainant's case, and he too had been unable to produce an authority in support of his application.

After some further remarks by the counsel for the complainant, the Court decided to take the matter under advisement.

REPUBLIC INSURANCE COMPANY.

The meeting of creditors of the Republic Insurance Company, to declare a dividend, took place in the United States District Court room, before Register Hibbard, yesterday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Mr. Payson, the assignee, read the statement of account, by which it appeared that the following was the state of affairs:

Balance on hand May 1 instant	$148,820.67
Received since on capital stock	34,889.45
Received since from costs of suits	854.36
Received since from interest	89.70
Received since from U. S. Treasury	3,253.96
Received since from sundry accounts	194.35
Total	$188,219.57
Expenses	$ 5,024.94
Balance in hand	184,219.57—$189,244.51

The balance is distributed as follows:

In Second National Bank	$ 90,066.65
In National Bank of Illinois	85,856.72
In currency and checks in office	2,296.20
In certificates of deposits for costs	4,000.00
Total	$184,219.57

Mr. Payson read the following statement:

AMOUNT OF CLAIMS PROVED AND ALLOWED TO DATE.	
For certificates of indebtedness	$710,740.24
Loss by fire (no certificates)	37,545.46
Return premiums on policies canceled	1,976.78
Miscellaneous claims	5,395.29
Total	$756,657.77
Less certificates of indebtedness proved and involved above, which are deposited with the Assignee as collateral security for an equal amount due on stock assessments, the dividends when collected to be credited on stock	136,919.46
Leaving balance of claims allowed	$621,738.31
Claims not proved up (certificates of indebtedness)	$59,092.31
Other claims, estimated	25,000.00
	84,092.31
	$705,840.62
To make a 25 per cent dividend on $756,657.77 requires	$189,164.44

On $621,738.31, balance of claims proved, deducting those deposited for collection, $156,434.88

The amount of cash on hand this date as per statement filed	$178,219.87

The account and statement were formally submitted to the meeting, with the recommendation to pay a dividend of 25 per cent, which was agreed to, and a dividend at that rate was duly declared.

Register Hibbard stated with regard to claims not now in, that where claims were made within the next few days, say six days at the outside, the dividends will be payable on them, provided that there is no objection made.

The dividend will be payable on the 15th of June.

CHUMASERO'S FRIENDS HAVE AN INNINGS.

Another petition to the District Court, in the District Court, in the matter of Shanahan & West, was yesterday filed, as follows:

The undersigned, creditors of Shanahan & West, respectfully represent that they believe it for the best interest of all parties to the above proceeding that the stock in trade of said firm be sold with all due convenient speed, by John T. Chumasero, Provisional Assignee, under the direction of the Court, and that we have full confidence in the ability, integrity, and business management of the said Chumasero as such Assignee, and are fully satisfied with the manner in which he has so far discharged the duties of said trust.

BARTLETT, BENNY, REED & CO.,
KELLOGG, HUBBARD & CO.
per MCCLELLAN & HODGES.

MAY 28, 1873.

The total indebtedness of Shanahan & West, claimed by West & Manning, is $23,996.74.

The amount represented by the parties petitioning for the continuance of sale at retail, and for the removal of the Assignee, is as follows, viz:

Oberholzer & Keefer	$2,806.62
Field, Leiter & Co.	867.01
Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co.	1,000.25
S. M. Peck	275.00
Richards, Shaw & Winslow	459.82
L. Stern	188.49
Total	$5,716.19

Amount represented asking for sale forthwith, and expressing approval of the management of the Assignee:

Bartlett, Berry, Reed & Co.	$ 3,059.04
Kellogg, Hubbard & Co	2,862.11
L. M. Bates & Co.	4,127.86
J. Y. Farwell & Co.	4,270.34
C. W. & E Pardridge	209.73
Shoyer & Co.	303.59
Rosenfeld, Munser & Co.	445.65
Ninth National Bank	954.00
Total	$10,097.32

The Assignee submits the result of three days' sale as follows: 26th, $84.14; 27th, $40.85; 28th, $28.10. Total, $153.09. Expenses, $52.50; discount, $38.07; leaving a net profit of $62.50, netting over 20 per cent.

TAX CERTIFICATES.

In the Superior Court James Rutherford files his bill for an injunction restraining Louis Blohm and D. G. Hamilton from selling, assigning, or parting with the title to or possession of certain tax certificates. Complainant avers that he is the owner in fee simple and is in possession of Lots 1 and 2 in Block 6 in School Section of Chicago; that on the 7th of August, 1871, the Board of Public Works made a report to the Common Council recommending the laying of a gas service pipe along Depuyster street, between Halsted and Desplaines streets, to connect with the main gas pipe in Desplaines street; that a warrant issued to the City Collector for the collection of the assessment; that complainant's property was, in June, 1872, returned by the City Collector to the County Treasurer, as delinquent for the amounts of said assessment, and the lots were sold to said Louis Blohm on Nov. 8, 1872, for the satisfaction of a judgment obtained against them by the County Treasurer, and tax certificates were issued to him stating that the tax deeds would be issued to him if, at the expiration of ten years, said lots were redeemed. Complainant states that the pipes for which said assessment was levied connect with the main gas service-pipe, owned by the People's Gas Light and Coke Company, a private corporation; that neither the City of Chicago, nor the public have any interest in or control over said main pipe; that no connection can be made with it save by permission of the said company; that the pipes can only be used in the event of the parties owning lots abutting on said street should desire to have gas in their houses, and made arrangements with the company; that complainant does not desire to use gas in his house, nor does he desire or expect to make arrangements with the People's Gas Light and Coke Company; but charges that whether he uses gas or not, or whether he obtains gas from the said company or not, is a matter in which neither the City of Chicago nor the public have any interest to interfere; that there were not, at the time of the passing of said ordinance, nor at any time, any specifications whatever for the laying of said service-pipe on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, and that no specifications for such work were ever prepared by such Board; that it is the duty of said Board, in cases of improvements to be made by special assessment, after advertising, to let the contract for doing the work to the lowest responsible bidder, which necessary ceremony was; in this case, dispensed with; but, on the contrary, said pipes were put in by the People's Gas Light and Coke Company under a private arrangement with said Board, and that the work and pipe sent more than it would have done had it been let out to private parties; that said pretended assessment, and all the subsequent proceedings, and said tax certificates, are null and void, and that complainant fears that one D. G. Hamilton has some interest in said tax certificates, wherefore he makes him and Blohm parties defendant to his suit, and asks that they may be enjoined, etc.

THE LEHMANN ESTATE.

Justine Lehmann and Frederick Lehmann, sons of Frederick Lehmann, deceased; Alfred A. Oscar, Aquila E. Annette, and Emma Lehmann, the last six of whom are minors, by Marie Lehmann, their guardian and next friend, file a petition in partition, in the Superior Court, against Conrad Seipp, Valentine Spaeth, Joseph Trott, August Frank, Henry Reitz, Jacob Mueller, and Jacob Beck, of the following property of which Frederick Lehmann was seized at the time of his death, on the 12th of July, 1872, viz: Lots 3 to 22 inclusive, and 24 to 29 inclusive, in Johnson's Subdivision of part of the S. E. fractional ¼ of Sec. 27, T. 39 N., R. 14 E. of 3 P. M.; that part of Lot 1 of Assessors' Subdivision of S. E. fractional ¼ of Sec. 27, T. 39 N., R. 14 E. of 3 P. M., lying E. of a line drawn from the point of intersection of E. line of Broadway avenue extended to the S. line of said Lot 1, and from said point due N. to N. line of said Lot 1, excepting all that portion of said Lot 1 lying E. of W. line of roadway of the Illinois Central Railroad; Lot 16 in Iglehart's Subdivision of part of the S. E. fractional quarter of Sec. 27, T. 39 N., R. 14 E. of 3 P. M.; and that part of Lot 2 in Assessors' Division of S. E. fractional ¼ of Sec. 27, T. 39 N., R. 14 E. of 3 P. M., bounded as follows: Commencing on S. line of said Lot 2 at point of intersection of said S. line of said Lot 2 with E. line of a certain 12 foot alley, said point of intersection being 6-10 feet easterly from W. line of said S. E. fractional quarter of said Section 27, measuring on south line of said Lot 2, thence northwesterly on a line which is the continuation of the easterly line of the aforesaid alley to a stake on the north line of said Lot 2, thence westerly to the westerly line of land of the C. R. I. Railroad, thence southeasterly along the westerly line of land of said railroad company to south line of said Lot 2, thence west to the place of beginning.

CRIMINAL COURT ITEMS.

The Leary forgery case, in which it was charged that D. J. Leary, an attorney, altered a note held by him, given by one Swanson, from one year to one day, was up, yesterday morning, on motion for new trial. The man Holden, who was alleged, in the affidavit lately filed, to be able to give additional testimony, not being produced in court, the motion was argued on the evidence already before the court, and taken under advisement.

Nels Holderson, on Wednesday convicted of the larceny of a hat, was yesterday sent to the County Jail for one week.

Peter Sandstrom was charged with stealing money, the property of a room-mate. The evidence seemed to establish nothing except that the men were on a friendly spree at the time. Verdict, not guilty.

John Lawlor, Thomas Kelly, and John O'Brien, charged with larceny of a watch, jewelry, and clothing, from the residence of Ys. Fleming, on the corner of Washington and Desplaines streets, were tried. They were charged with getting into the house through the open transom of the door, and abstracting the articles in question under circumstances already detailed. The evidence was considered insufficient, and the jury found a verdict of not guilty.

The Court adjourns over until to-morrow, in respect to Decoration Day.

THE SCOTT ESTATE IN PENNSYLVANIA.

It appearing that one undivided half of certain property in Pennsylvania, now held by the Assignees of Messrs. Munn, Norton & Scott, the legal title being at the time of the bankruptcy of said firm in George L. Scott, was owned by John B. Sherman, the District Court yesterday made an order directing the Assignees to make a deed conveying said one undivided half to said Sherman within ninety days. Said lands consist of 150 acres in Corn Planter Township, Venango County; and 219 acres on the west bank of the Allegheny River, in the Township of Sandy Creek, said county and State.

BANKRUPTCY MATTERS.

Samuel B. Pursell yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy for adjudication of George W. Phillips, Jr., claiming as a creditor for $354.87, and alleging that Phillips has made a secret assignment of all his property, the particulars of which he conceals, and that he refuses to account for the disposal of his property or to pay his debts. The usual rule to show cause was made.

The National Watch Company, of Elgin, yesterday petitioned in bankruptcy for the adjudication of George P. Glaser & Co., claiming as creditors for $818.30, $687.75, and $349.30, and relating a number of other unpaid notes. The usual rule to show cause was issued. Geo. P. Glaser, one of the firm, has confessed the firm's insolvency.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE "LAMAR."

In the matter of the Lamar Insurance Company, before Judge Gary, yesterday, F. C. Hale, Special Master, made another report allowing the following claims, which Judge Gary ordered to be paid at the rate of 20 cents on the dollar, as previously agreed upon, viz.: Benjamin F. Felch, $2,507.70; Frederick Eichner, $1,078.70; Charles M. Harris, $3,189.35; John S. Gould et al., $2,619.30; Joseph Dinet, $1,278.70; C. O. Sunderman, $1,602.08; Henry Biroth, for use of Charles Pfeifer, $2,146.70; A. H. Miller, $5,300; Robert Manson, $5,300; Homer N. Hibbard, $300; J. W. and J. H. Bood, $5,000; the Manistee Bridge Company, $4,000; Smeal, Rebanks & Co., for the use of J. A. Holmes, $2,000.

THE COUNTY COURT.

Louisa Schmidt was appointed administratrix of the estate of the late Frederick Schmidt, under a bond, to be approved, of $6,000.

Fannie Schwartz was appointed administratrix of the estate of the late Leopold Schwartz, and of the estate of the late Rosa Schwartz, under bonds, to be approved, of $50,000 and $30,000, respectively.

Andreas Deggeller was appointed administrator of the estate of the late Maria Deggeller, under a bond, to be approved, of $34,600.

Auguste Giese was appointed administrator of the estate of the late Christian Giese, under a bond, to be approved, of $3,000.

Amalia Anderson was examined before a jury of ten, and found to be insane.

A warrant and venire were issued to try the alleged insanity of Lena Johnson and Mary Snyder.

The bastardy case of Jennie Cool v. Timothy Casey was dismissed for want of prosecution; a similar case, brought by Leonora Cusick against Thaddeus Healy, was dismissed by agreement.

THE COURTS IN BRIEF.

In the Circuit Court, Thomas A. and Matson Hill commenced a suit in covenant against F. W. Tourtellotte and H. N. Eldridge, to recover the amount of $700 due them for rent from defendants of two front rooms, in the second story of 401 Wabash avenue, occupied by defendants as a law office.

Jacob A. Henry files an affidavit in attachment in the Circuit Court against Samuel L. Keith, who, he says, owes him the sum of $6,626.26 upon two promissory notes. Said Samuel L. Keith is not a resident of the State of Illinois, but is living in Quebec, Lower Canada, wherefore affiant prays for a writ of attachment upon any goods which may be found of his in this State.

Maria L. Schultz petitions the Circuit Court for power to foreclose mortgage on Lot 4, in John Gunzenhaween's Subdivision of Lots 71 to 79, inclusive, of Block 3, in Sampson & Green's Addition to Chicago.

CORRECTION.

In our yesterday's report we were made to speak of Mr. Wm. Hanabrough, in connection with the Great Western Insurance Company, as bankrupt. Of course it was the Company, and not Mr. Hansbrough, that the term was intended to be applied to.

NEW SUITS.

THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—C. H. Upton, Assignee of Great Western Insurance Company, v. Abraham D. Titsworth; assumpsit, $500.—Same v. C. G. Woodard et al.; bill to foreclose mortgage.—Same v. Hazlan H. Peck; same.—Martin L. Sykes, Jr., v. Thomas Hayes; ejectment, $500.—J. R. Payson, Assignee of the Republic Insurance Company, v. R. S. King; assumpsit, $2,000.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.—7,122—Appeal. 7,123—Chapin & Gore v. City; bill for injunction. 7,124—Emily L. Ford v. D. James Leary; assumpsit, $1,000. 7,125—Thomas A. and Matson Hill v. N. Eldridge and F. Tourtellotte; covenant, $700. 7,126—Appeal. 7,127—Michael L. Miller v. Gustavus Hessert; trespass on the case, $5,000. 7,128—Jacob A. Henry v. Samuel L. Keith; attachment, $6,626.26. 7,129—Appeal. 7,130—James Hanahan v. Silver Lake Mining Company; restored case. 7,131—Withheld for service. 7,132—Maria L. v. Adolph Schultz; petition to supply record. 7,133—Gustav v. Johanna, Carl, and Ida Schroeder; petition to foreclose mortgage.

THE SUPERIOR COURT.—43,553—Ida L. v. Ban. K. Hodge; bill for divorce. 43,554—James Rutherford v. Louis Blohm and D. S. Hamilton; petition for injunction. 43,555—Appeal. 43,556—Justine Lehman et al. v. Conrad Seipp, Valentine Spaeth, Joseph Trott, August Frank, Henry Reitz, Jacob Mueller, and Jacob Beck; petition for partition. 43,557—H. W. Wetherell et al. v. Andrew Hanna, Jr., and Catherine Hanna; affidavit on attachment, $420. 43,558—Charles H. Bachelier v. Daniel A. Loring and E. Tilton; assumpsit, $600. 43,559—George E. White v. Ernst Wiesbrock et al.; confession of judgment, $164.23. 43,561—Same v. Same; same, $180.97. 43,562—Same v. Same; same, $489.61. 43,563—Same v. Same; same, $120.58. 43,564—Appeal.

VIENNA.

The Financial Panic--Killing the Goose that Laid the Golden Egg--The Hoici-Harpies.

Vienna (May 10) Correspondence of the New York Tribune.

There is a general disposition among the sufferers by the panic to reckon the Exhibition as the chief cause of the evil that has befallen them. This is not as absurd as attributing famines and pestilence to the influence of a comet in the sky, as people used to do, although readers in America might say so at first thought. The Exhibition has, no doubt, helped to produce the catastrophe; but it is only one of many causes, and probably only a subordinate one. Exaggerated estimates were formed in all business circles of the amount of trade it would bring to Vienna, the number of foreigners who would come, the quantity of money they would bring with them, and the good-natured stupidity with which they would submit to extortion and swindling. Having counted in advance the value of the golden eggs their goose was to lay, the greedy Viennese proceeded to kill her before she had time to begin laying, by trying to make her lay bigger eggs and oftener than any goose, however obliging, was ever known to lay before. They have driven away thousands of strangers by their shameless charges, and have kept thousands of others from coming who would gladly have spent the summer here if they had not heard that it was like falling among thieves for a foreigner to go to Vienna during the Exhibition. So the prospect for the Viennese becoming rich this summer by "drawing off the skin of strangers over their ears," as one of the city papers expresses it, is not flattering, and many speculations built upon the supposed business to grow out of the Exhibition will not return the original outlay. The Viennese is the most mercurial of all people speaking the German language, and, like the French, go rapidly from one extreme to another. The magnificent attendance of strangers on the opening day, the dissatisfaction they expressed at the prices charged them, the small amount of money they spent, the haste they made to depart after the ceremonies of the inauguration, and worst of all the fact that so few came to take their places; all this, together with the dismal weather and the chaotic and unattractive condition of the Exhibition, produced a rapid transition from hope to despair among those who expected to find a mine of wealth in the great world's fair, and this no doubt, precipitated the financial crash in the Bourse, which otherwise might not have come so soon.

The despair of the landlords and the stockholders in the great hotel companies does not excite any commiseration among strangers, it may be imagined, and even the Vienna papers express satisfaction that these harpies have so speedily come to grief. Night before last one hotel had over a hundred vacant rooms, and only six guests. Many establishments are hastening haste to lower their prices, hoping thereby to keep the guests that still remain. A room for which eight guldens a day was asked on the 1st, could be had yesterday for two. The comic papers have made the rapacity of the hotels and restaurant proprietors the subject of no end of satire and jest. In one of them there is a caricature, in which a waiter in a fashionable hotel presents a guest with his bill. It is about ten feet long, and the total is so enormous that the despairing victim leaps out of the window into the Dambe Canal at the first sight of it. Here are the specimens of the squibs that fill the papers on this subject: A foreigner in one of the Exhibition restaurants, after paying three guldens for a glass of beer and a bit of cold meat, calls the waiter back, and, in a mysterious tone, asks, "Where am I?" "In the Exhibition, to be sure," answers the astonished waiter. "Ah, indeed," says the stranger, with a look of great relief. "I thought I was in the Abruzzi, among the brigands." One friend meets another in the Prater, and says, "Have you heard the news?" "No, what is it?" asks the other. "A regiment of infantry is to be stationed in the Exhibition grounds." "Pray, what for?" inquires No. 2. "There are so many robberies committed in the restaurants that the police require assistance," replies No. 1.

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THE LATE SIR GEORGE CARTIER.

The intelligence received here by cable of the death of Sir George Etienne Cartier, Bart., one of the finest French-Englishmen that ever lived, has created a profound impression. The deceased Baronet occupied a most important position in public affairs for years. He was the acknowledged leader of the French Canadians, until towards the last, he became too Anglicised to suit their views, and also was unfortunate enough to quarrel with the Catholic clergy, who wield a tremendous power over the destinies of any public man in Lower Canada. Sir George had a long and eventful public career, and did many remarkable things. He was shrewd and remarkably wise as a politician, and so ranged parties that he always contrived to hold the balance of power, and thereby have the controlling voice. A liberal Catholic, he was a warm friend to many institutions of another faith; and cared little what sacrifice he made so long as it bore some evident result. In the fights between the French and English inhabitants of the old Canadas, he took his side with his compatriots, and was one of the leaders of that party of which Sir Etienne, and the present day still continue to speak ill—the men who foisted French domination on the necks of the struggling Englishmen of Upper Canada. Sir George was, socially, a most polished gentleman. His *soirees* were the best of the Parliamentary seasons, and his charming bonhommie led him to be courted by even his opponents. He was of small stature, and was known, from one end of the Dominion to the other, as the

"PLUCKY LITTLE FRENCHMAN."

In the boisterous struggles that generally attend the close of a Parliamentary session, he was one of the foremost in the fight, and often has left fragments of his coat scattered over the floor at points where he had made a strong defence. He suffered a heavy defeat at the late election, and became disgusted with politics; but, if he had lived to return to this country, there is no doubt that he once more would have taken his place in the ranks, and done gallant service, according to his lights, for his country. He was an adroit advocate of confederation, which, however, he has not survived to see brought to a full conclusion. We could well spare a better man, for he was the life of the House, a good patriot, singularly sincere in his friendships, and an est

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THE TRIBUTE OF FLOWERS.

Preparations for the Decoration of Graves.

A General Suspension of Bulnesss in the City.

The Procession in the Forenoon ---Line of March.

OUR DEAD.

A requiem for the dead
Who died for Fatherland,
A dirge above each bed
Where sleep the patriot band!
Tears for the loved and lost,
Wreaths for the true and brave,—
Their warlike deeds our boast,
Our holiest shrine their grave.

Their memory is green,
Their glory ne'er can die,
Their patriot-names are seen
Forever writ on high;
And History's page shall tell
The story of the brave,—
How long they fought, and well,
Our own loved land to save.

Honor the soldier-band!
Honor the heroes' tomb!
Bound their green graves we stand,
Where blue-eyed violets bloom.
In memory of our dead
The laurel and the yew
We hang above each bed,
Wh— sleeps the soldier true.

Long let each glorious name
Live in our holiest prayer,—
Theirs be the proudest fame
Who lived to do and dare,
Freedom shall give her tears,
And Liberty her sigh,
And, through the future years,
Their deeds shall never die.

CHICAGO, May 25, 1873. HAROLD.

A TRIBUTE OF FLOWERS.

The ceremony of paying a tribute of spring flowers to the dead, for which elaborate preparations have been made for so many weeks, will occur to-day, and, if the weather permits, will be of greater interest than it has ever been. The amount of decoration will be greater than on previous occasions, and the amount of labor on the part of the few faithful ladies who have given up their time to weaving garlands during the past week has been great in proportion. Besides preparing wreaths of flowers and evergreens for the graves, they have constructed decorations for the gateways of the four cemeteries, and this has been accomplished with great difficulty. The backwardness of the season, too, has increased the difficulty of obtaining flowers, and those who have contributed deserve kindly recognition of their interest in any event. The conservatories of private citizens have been stripped without stint to furnish the requisite flowers, and the florists have been called upon for unusual supplies. Many of the flowers have come from the extreme South of the State, where the season is more advanced than in this cheerless and uncertain climate.

SUSPENSION OF BUSINESS.

Business will be suspended in the city to-day. The Custom-House and all Government offices, all city offices, the public schools, Board of Trade, the courts, and the various banks will be closed all day, while many of the business houses will close at noon. As the train upon which the main body will be conveyed to the cemeteries will leave at 10 o'clock, this will give ample time to employes who wish to be present at the ceremonies.

THE PROCESSION.

The various military and civic divisions will meet at 10:30 o'clock this morning at the places designated below, and form in procession in the following order:

Platoon of police.
Band.
Grand Marshal Gen. McArthur and Aides: Col. O. Lippincott, Gen. M. Bean, and Dr. R. C. Miller.
Invited guests in carriages.
Calvary Division.
Band.
Irish Rifles.
Montgomery Guards.
Mulligan Zouaves.
Band.
Rose Hill Division.
Band.
Graceland Division.

THE LINE OF MARCH

will be north on Clark street to Michigan street; west on Michigan street to Wells street; north on Wells street to Chicago avenue, Calvary and Rose Hill Divisions forming line and saluting the Graceland Division as they pass, when they will countermarch back to the railway depot on the corner of Kinzie and Canal streets, arriving there in time for the 1 o'clock afternoon train.

The officers of the Divisions, with the programme at each of the cemeteries, will be as follows:

CALVARY CEMETERY.

Division Commander, Col. Owen Stewart; Aids—Capt. J. Harrington, Capt. J. J. Healy, Capt. Murphy, Capt. Cunniff, Capt. Quirk, Capt. Clifford, and Sergt. Lyons. The division will form on Fifth avenue, right resting on Monroe street. The programme at the cemetery will be as follows:

Prayer—The Rev. Dr. Butler; music; address—Prof. Lyon, of Notre Dame, Ind.; music; address—Thomas L. Lonergan; music; address—John F. Finnerty; music.

ROSEHILL.

Division Commander, Maj. R. M. Woods; Aids—Capt. John Stephens, Capt. James Stewart, Hon. P. A. Hoyne, Sergt. H. W. Boyd, Capt. G. L. Booth, Hon. J. C. Gregg. The division will assemble on LaSalle street, right resting on Monroe. At the cemetery the programme will be:

Prayer—Rev. David Swing; music—National Hymn; opening address—Gov. Beveridge; music—Apollo Music Club; address—Hon. John A. Logan; music; address—Rev. L. S. Chamberlain; poem—Brook McVickar; music; address—C. E. Beach; benediction—Rev. E. J. Goodspeed.

GRACELAND.

Division Commander, Col. S. D. Baldwin; Aids—Col. Bailey, Maj. W. E. Waite, Capt. R. P. Derrickson, Capt. S. Swan, Capt. E. Hamilton, Capt. A. G. Busse, Crapt. Fred Busse, Capt. Peter Hand, Lieut. J. M. Johnson, and Capt. Norman E. Halm. The division will assemble on Clark street, right resting on Monroe. Following is the programme at the cemetery:

Prayer—Rev. A. E. Kittredge; music; address—Gov. Yates; music; address—Hon. C. Hesing; music; address—M. M. Parkhurst; music; poem—Jeremiah Mahoney; benediction—Dr. Hartman.

OAKWOOD.

This division will not join the procession, as the train will not leave the Illinois Central Depot until 3 o'clock. Capt. E. E. Ryan, with his six vans, will meet at the Central Depot at 2:30 o'clock. The programme will be as follows:

Prayer, the Rev. M. Johnson; music; address, E. S. Williams; music; address, Col. R. S. Thompson; music; poem, Prof. Perkins; music; address, Edward A. Small, Esq.; music by children; benediction.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.

By the flow of the inland river,
Whence the fleets of iron had fled,
Where the blades of the grave-grass quiver,
Asleep are the ranks of the dead;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment-day;
Under the one, the Blue;
Under the other, the Gray.

These in the rotings of glory,
Those in the gloom of defeat;
All, with the battle-blood gory,
In the dusk of Eternity meet;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment-day;
Under the laurel, the Blue;
Under the willow, the Gray.

From the silence of sorrowful hours,
The desolate mourners go,
Lovingly laden with flowers,
Alike for the friend and the foe;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment-day;
Under the roses, the Blue;
Under the lilies, the Gray.

So, with an equal splendor
The morning sun-rays fall,
With a touch impartially tender,
On the blossoms blooming for all;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment-day;
Broidered with gold, the Blue;
Mellowed with gold, the Gray.

So, when the Summer calleth,
On forest and field of grain
With an equal murmur falleth
The cooling drop of the rain;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment-day;
Wet with rain, the Blue;
Wet with rain, the Gray.

Sadly, but not with upbraiding,
The generous deed was done;
In the storm of years now fading,
No braver battle was won;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment-day;
Under the blossoms, the Blue;
Under the garlands, the Gray.

No more shall the war-cry sever,
Or the winding rivers be red;
They banish our anger forever
When they laurel the graves of our dead.
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment-day;
Love and tears for the Blue,
Tears and Love for the Gray.

—*New York Tribune.* F. M. FINCH.

ROUGH EXPERIENCE.

A Citizen of Pennsylvania Robbed on a Burlington Train—He Loses the Toes of One Foot While Pursuing the Thieves—Another Daring Piracy.

Mr. Samuel Carney, of Bedford, Pa., will certainly be undeserving of censure if he shall, during the remainder of his days, think hard of Chicago and some of her citizens. The experiences he had while here fully warrant the extremest dislike. They were as follows: On the afternoon of Wednesday he arrived in this city, accompanied by his wife, en route for Lincoln, Neb., and started for that city on the 11 o'clock train of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad. A short time after they had been comfortably seated in the car they were approached by two young men, who engaged them in an agreeable conversation. One of them was going to Nebraska also,—provided he could raise a little money to settle a debt which had stood for some time against him. Mr. Carney was willing to assist him, and drew out a roll of currency containing $105. While he was taking therefrom the desired amount, one of the rascals snatched the whole roll from the kind old man's hands, and both ran out of the car. The duped Keystone citizen ran after them, and, as he attempted to get off the car, had the toes of his right foot torn off, and fell by the side of the train. He was found in an almost insensible condition by some railroad watchmen soon after, and was taken to the City Hotel, at the corner of State and Sixteenth streets. Mrs. Carney, being left on the car, was too much terrified to ask the conductor to stop the train until she was far out of the city, and, for all Mr. Carney knows, she has gone on through to Lincoln, as she carried their tickets. The losing of $105, five toes, and a wife is seldom met with in one day. Mr. Carney is doing well, but his mind is in a state of uneasiness because of the absence of his wife.

ANOTHER INSTANCE

of the operations of railway pirates occurred last Tuesday evening, when a robbery was perpetrated on the outgoing train of the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, which, for daring, has seldom been eclipsed, even in this city. Among the passengers was an old gentleman named Joseph Huntsinger, of El Dorado, Iowa. When the train had left the city a few miles in its rear, one of three roughs approached him, and, assuming the manner of a trainman, told him he was in the wrong car. The old man arose and followed the impositor toward another car in the rear, and, when he reached the platform where the rest of the roughs were assembled, they suddenly sprang upon him. One of the villains took him by the throat, another held a revolver to his head, and the third went through his pockets, robbing him of $20, all the money he had. The poor gentleman then jumped off the train and made their escape before any of the passengers could come to the old gentleman's assistance. The thieves also got away with an overcoat belonging to another occupant of the same car. In the scuffle the old man's hat was knocked off, and the gentleman who lost the overcoat, prompted by a fellow feeling, compelled the old man to accept a small sum of money to purchase another. Railroad pirates are becoming alarmingly plentiful, and something should be done by the police and railroad officers to diminish the number.

PERSONAL.

Col. D. C. Houston, U. S. A., is at the Gardner House.

Hon. A. E. Sawyer, Black River Falls, Wis., is at the West Side Briggs.

M. L. Sullivant, Esq., the Farmer King, was at the Gardner yesterday.

Maj.-Gen. Wiseman left the Matteson House for St. Louis last evening.

The Hon. Judge Edmunds, of Somers, was at the Matteson House yesterday.

The Hon. Horace Rublee, United States Minister to Switzerland, is at the Sherman.

Dr. T. H. Rose and J. M. Griffith and wife, of Los Angeles, Cal., are at the Matteson House.

Mr. S. S. Merrill, General Manager of the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, is at the Sherman House.

J. Heine Cken, of Bremen, Germany, and C. W. Clifford, Nay Bedford, Mass., are at the Gardner.

A. Alexander, of the Royal Engineers, from Hong Kong, China, was at the Sherman House yesterday.

Gen. Samuel C. Heely and family, of Philadelphia, are among the arrivals at the West Side Briggs House.

Mrs. Kate N. Daggett will resume her art lessons at the Christian Union Hall, No. 114 Madison street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

President Mason, of the Board of Police Commissioners, was in his customary seat yesterday. One day in St. Louis is enough for any sensible man.

The following were at the Gardner House yesterday: J. W. Hudson, Mrs. H. G. Rollins, San Francisco; Nathan Richardson, Mass.; J. D. Lehmer, Cincinnati; H. S. Jacobs, Salt Lake; Denison Taft, Montpelier, Vt.

James O'Neal will give a series of scientific and philosophic lectures in Grow's Opera-Hall, on West Madison street, on Monday evenings, commencing on Monday next with a dissertation on the "Science of the Soul and Trinitarianism."

Yesterday the Board of Police Commissioners granted permission to Detective Tyrrell to accept the gift of a valuable gold watch and chain for services rendered in the Tremont House robbery. The jewelry firm whose goods were stolen is the donor.

The following were among the prominent arrivals at the East Side Briggs House yesterday: John L. Reed, New York; the Rev. E. Slade; F. A. Jenny, Waterloo; W. Hall, Geneva, N. Y.; N.H. Stephenson, Portland, Me.; C. W. Spencer, Emporia, Kan.

The following were among the prominent arrivals at the Sherman House yesterday: J. M. Grow, Providence; E. P. Goodlee, New Haven; J. F. Purvise, Harrisburgh; D. E. Gray, Alabama; J. A. Mitchell, New York; M. M. Maix, Colorado; J. B. Shaw, Milwaukee.

W. B. Perceival, Dr. Fisher and wife, George Herbert, L. H. Johnson, Dr. Buchanan, wife, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Barmastyne, Miss Baker, Miss Poynter, Charles C. Boyes and wife, comprise a party at the Gardner House, from the Island of New Zealand, en route for England.

Samuel Wilmot, Cincinnati; C. B. Leaman and family, Boston; G. C. Swan, Cincinnati; T. Durphey, New Orleans; Maj. W. M. Taylor, Ottawa; Charles Barry, Boston; G. W. Langford, P. Gilman, New York; Gen. W. H. Race, Black River Falls; W. R. Sill, LaCrosse; James Gorman, St. Louis; J. E. Byers, Arkansas; C. P. Greene, Indiana; and L. J. Murray, Menominee, are at the West Side Briggs House.

The Rev. Robert Patterson, who was compelled to leave Chicago last winter in consequence of a severe attack of pneumonia, and try the balmy air of California, has been greatly benefited by the change. He has leased a house in Oakland, across the bay from San Francisco, whither he has removed his family. Fifty or sixty members of the Presbyterian Church of San Francisco, whose pulpit he is supplying during the absence of the pastor, met at Dr. Patterson's house, a week ago last Tuesday, to give the preacher's family a hearty California welcome. At their departure they left behind an abundance of flour, fruit, crops, and coin, as specimens of the productions of that glorious State.

Herr Friedebart, the German translator of Bret Harte, is dead. We thought at the start that it would about finish him.

Martin Griffin, of the Massachusetts Senate, has assumed the management of *The Leader*, a Catholic family journal at Boston.

Henry L. Dawes, extra paid, will go to Europe early in the summer, and not return until the opening of the next session of Congress.

The gossips have it that Chief-Justice Cockburn will reply to Caleb Cushing's book, and that Cushing will follow with still another, for which he has plenty of spicy material.

Col. Timothy Munroe, who commanded the Eighth Massachusetts Regiment on the eight days' march to Washington via Annapolis, died Sunday at Lynn, Mass., aged 78 years.

The Rev. Dr. Punshon has received a purse of $4,000 from the Wesleyan Methodists of Canada. Lecturing at $300 per night, and receiving $4,000 purses has made this laborer in the vineyard tolerably well off.

The revivalist, E. P. Hammond, writes to the Tolland County (Ct.) *Journal* that he has converted 3,000 in his Western tour. Most orthodox people are accustomed to ascribe such work to the Lord.—*Hartford Post.*

Half a million dollars which, in a few months more, Miss Annie G. Wilstach would have inherited, had she lived, now goes to certain public charities in Philadelphia, named in the will of her father, the late William P. Wilstach.

At the marriage of Frederick A. Nims and Miss Ellen, daughter of Col. A. T. McReynolds, in Grand Rapids, Mich., May 27, the presents were numerous and elegant, including the munificent sum of $25,000 from the bride's father.

James B. Clay, grandson of Henry Clay, has forwarded to Regent Bowman, for the museum at Ashland, Ky., the coat which the statesman wore at the Treaty of Ghent, in 1814. It is elegantly wrought, and trimmed with silk and braid.

The ex-Duke of Modena lately visited the Prince of Wales in Vienna, and a friendly meeting of the representatives of the house of Stuart and Guelph occurred. The ex-Duke is a descendent of Henrietta, the youngest daughter of Charles I. of England, and, therefore, could assert a claim to the British throne.

Mr. D. L. DeGollyer, of the firm of DeGollyer & McClellan, street-pavement contractors, died at his residence, No. 1188 Prairie avenue, last evening. Mr. DeGollyer has been a resident of this city for over twenty years. He leaves a family of four children, and a large circle of loving friends, to mourn his loss. He was 63 years of age.

It is pleasing to know that Babcock, the President's Private Secretary, will have a nice cottage, costing $50,000, finished at Long Branch in July. He has recently put up, in copartnership with Boss Shepherd, a costly block of houses in Washington, and upon his return from San Domingo, purchased the residence now occupied by Secretary Delano.

We are shocked to learn that "Lieut.-Col. Fred. D. Grant," as the telegraph loyally announces him, will make the Yellowstone trip with Gen. Stanley. That which touches us with concern is the knowledge that the Yellowstone expedition means business. The Indian war brewing in the far Northwest is necessary in order to help along the North Pacific Railroad enterprise. As Fred. Dent Grant is a Lieutenant-Colonel, while the other members of his class are plain Lieutenants, he must have an opportunity to distinguish himself.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

Father Beckx, the General of the Order of the Jesuits, is described by a correspondent of the Vienna *Presse* as a short, narrow-shouldered man of 70, with a pale and tranquil countenance, "whose life seemed to concentrate itself in his expressive gray eyes, shaded by long black lashes, and always bent to the ground except when he is addressing you." His head is long and narrow, and its baldness is concealed by a black skull-cap; his brown hair interspersed here and there with a thread of silver, is brushed back from his temples behind his ears; his nose is sharp, and his lips are thin and bloodless.

—The Duc de Broglie, Minister of the Interior, who appears to have engineered the movement by which M. Thiers was driven from the Presidency, has been the leader of the Orleanist party for some time. He is descended from a long line of eminent statesmen, and is a grandson of Madame de Stael, whose only daughter was his mother. His grandfather resolutely refused to be reconciled to the first Napoleon; his father was a minister under Louis Phillippe. Neither the present Duc nor his father was seduced by Louis Napoleon. They were leaders in the coterie of Orleanists whose organs were the *Journal des Debats* and the *Revue des Deux Mondes*. After the late war, the present Duc, who inherited his father's title in 1870, was elected a member of the National Assembly. Immediately on the appointment of M. Thiers as provisional President, the Duc de Broglie was made Ambassador to England, where he remained for more than a year. On his retirement from that post, he began to aspire to the leadership of the opposition in the Assembly. He was the Conservative leader in the famous Committee of Thirty, which finally yielded so absolutely to the President. He is an Orleanist, but he is a lover of constitutional liberty under a liberal monarchy.

THE "METROPOLITAN" RECEPTION.

The Metropolitan Club, organized but a few months, and now enjoying a full and healthy maturity, numbers among its members many of the best-known gentlemen of the city. Starting with a suite of three or four rooms in McVicker's Building, they have found their quarters too narrow to accommodate their social necessities, and have now enlarged the number of rooms to nine. These are all furnished handsomely and tastefully, with the exception of the ball-room and supper-room on the upper floor, which it is unnecessary to decorate very elaborately. The reception-rooms, parlors, toilet-rooms, catering department, and anterooms are all that could be desired. The supper-room is arranged with good sense, a number of small tables being ranged round it for little parties. These preparations for future enjoyment necessitated a reception, and the Club determined to give one last evening. There were about one hundred and twenty-five persons present, and the affair passed off very agreeably. The musical part of the programme, under the direction of Mr. Ziegfeld, added much little to the enjoyment of the evening. Solos by Messrs. Foltz and Ziegfeld, and a duet afterwards by the same gentlemen; a piano piece by Miss Valentine de Pelgrom, and a charming solo by Miss Haskell, were the features of the evening. Supper was another feature, and was served continuously during the whole evening. The ball-room, which was decorated with bunting, was dedicated to the delights of dancing.

As the club was organized for social purposes, and with the intention of squeezing as much enjoyment out of life as possible, perhaps the Reception Committee and some of the members will not take it amiss if the suggestion is made that many of the gentlemen present last evening were compelled to stand aloof from the enjoyment of the reception because they were entirely unacquainted with each other and with the ladies, and remain so to-day.

Judicial.

The election of five Circuit Judges will take place on Monday, June 2, next. The candidates indorsed by the bar and both parties irrespective of their politics are the present Circuit Judges, viz.: Ernstus S. Williams, Henry Booth, John G. Rogers, Lambert Tree, and W. W. Farwell. The ward committees already announced, and such other gentlemen as feel an interest in the election of an honest judiciary, will please organize in their respective wards, and see that the election is properly conducted therein. The Judges of Election will please see that the registry books and poll books are at the respective polling places on Monday morning. The only danger to be apprehended is the apathy of citizens. Every man who is interested in the election of an honest judiciary will please go to the polls on Monday. Campaign headquarters in basement of Merchants' Building, corner of LaSalle and Washington streets. By order of Campaign Committee.

Webster—Chicago.

At the regular meeting of the Chicago Board of Education, held Tuesday evening, May 27, 1873, a measure was adopted which marks a new era in school work in this city, and will, without doubt, greatly advance the grade of scholarship and accuracy of thought of the pupils of our schools. The school editions of Webster's Dictionaries, published by Messrs. Ivison, Blakeman, Taylor & Co., of Nos. 133 and 135 State street, Chicago, were placed upon the list as regular text-books, and each pupil was required to obtain a copy of the edition adapted to his grade, to be used for study and reference like any other schoolbook. Our Board is noted for its good sense, but this is the most sensible thing it has done in many a day. We trust that other city and town Boards of Education will follow this good example until Webster is in the hands of every pupil in our country.

Decoration.

Tickets for Calvary and Rosehill can be procured at Chicago & Northwestern Railroad offices, corner Randolph and LaSalle, Madison and Canal, and at the depot. Tickets to Rosehill [and return, 95 cents; Calvary, 40 cents. Full fare if tickets are not procured. All ladies who can are cordially invited to assist in the decoration of the graves at the different cemeteries of the city. All who can are requested to be at the depot, corner Canal and Kinzie, at 4, sp. sharp.

J. M. GUTHAT,
Secretary of General Committee.

The Latest Thing in Hats.

Parker & Tilton, No. 83 Clark street, opposite the Court-House, have introduced their summer-style beaver-lined dress hat, the lightest and most stylish hat ever manufactured.

A Gem.

Don't fail to take a look at the beautiful sign that is to be raised, this afternoon, over the entrance of Cooper & Hennegen's hat store. No. 126 Clark street.

WHY NOT?

Shall Chicago Go Into the Silver-Smelting Business?

Is It Necessary to Send Our Ore to Wales to Have It Reduced?

The Subject Discussed at the Pacific Hotel Last Evening.

A large number of influential citizens and capitalists assembled in the club-room of the Grand Pacific Hotel, last evening, in response to a call addressed to all who take an interest in the welfare of Chicago. Orrin E. Moore called the meeting to order, and said he had been doing what he could to impress upon a few people in this city the importance of making Chicago a mineral market. If it was a fact that $7,000,000 a year was produced at the mines in the West, it seemed but proper that Chicago should have some of it, and not allow the ores to go East and to Wales to be smelted. He had no money to invest in the business; was not identified with any clique, or working to further the plans of any one; but, as a citizen of Chicago, he desired to see her business increased, and here was an opportunity to create a new market in this city, which would add materially to her prestige.

The Hon. Thomas Hoyne was then elected President, and Capt. Ross Mason, Secretary.

Mr. Moore submitted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the successful enterprise of Chicago is due largely to the co-operation and unity of spirit that pervades the business men, and their willingness to help develop any worthy object of public interest.

Resolved, That Chicago by its location should command the mineral trade of the West, and that if the business men do make an effort now, it can be made the great market for iron, silver, and lead, as it is now for lumber, grain, and cattle, and equally profitable.

Resolved, That we deem it expedient and practical to establish a large silver smelting and refining works in Chicago, and that the business men be invited to co-operate in such a movement.

Resolved, That an Executive Committee of twenty-one be appointed by this meeting to open books of subscription for such a purpose.

Resolved, That no subscriptions be binding until $200,000 is subscribed.

Ex-Lieut.-Gov. Bross was called for, and, in response, gave an account of the mines of Utah and Colorado. He saw no reason why Chicago should not get all the ore taken from them to work up. The opening of the country south of Salt Lake City by railroads would make many rich mines available. Railroads were now constructing there, and ore could be had in unlimited quantity. No one, unless by personal examination, could appreciate the extent of the mineral-beds in that section, and all over the Western country. Everything necessary to carry on the smelting business successfully could be had in Chicago, and he had no doubt if the business was conducted economically and by honest men, there were cart-loads of money in it. Chicago should control the business. That she could do it, no one for a moment could doubt, having better facilities than Newark, N. J., or any other place in the world.

Mr. McCarty, of the American Bureau of Mines, gave a brief description of the mines in Arkansas, Texas, and New Mexico. The ores there yielded from $60 to $5,000 a ton, and he had specimens which assayed $8,000. All these mines, with a little energy, could be made tributary to Chicago, and he believed from the characteristic enterprise of the people here that they would take hold of the business and carry it on successfully.

Mr. Adam Smith, one of the proprietors of the Swansea Smelting Works of Chicago, who had been in the business for two years and a half, made a detailed statement of the mode of smelting ore. There was money in it, but a large capital was required—fully $500,000 to carry the business as it should be carried on. Economy and honesty were essential in the departments, but the process had been so systematized in his works that very little of the metals abstracted, either base or precious, was lost. He thought one large corporation was better than half a dozen small ones. Money could be sunk faster in the smelting business than in any other; hence to compass every emergency a large amount of capital must be available at all times. The business must centre somewhere before long, either in Chicago or St. Louis, and hence he desired to see this city made the chief market of the world.

After a few favorable remarks by the Hon. J. R. Doolittle, the resolutions were adopted, and the following named gentlemen appointed as the Executive Committee: N. S. Bouton, A. C. Hesing, James E. Tyler, William E. Bollo, H. Greenebaum, Matthew Ladin, Howard Priestly, R. T. Crane, D. W. Whittle, W. K. Nixon, Prof. J. V. Z. Blaney, E. S. Pike, Fred. Gould, Charles Crane, William M. Mayo, Conrad Furst, A. G. Van Schaack, Grange Sard, Jr., Ed. McQuade, M. Jaeger, Adam Smith.

The meeting then adjourned.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

The city offices will be closed to-day in order that the employes may participate in the decoration ceremonies.

A strawberry festival will be held this evening at Trinity Methodist Church, corner Indiana avenue and Twenty-fourth street.

Trotting in Lincoln Park and thereabouts on Tuesdays and Fridays. Go it while you are young, boys, until your necks are wrenched.

The license of John Houdack, convicted of keeping a disorderly saloon at No. 449 Desplaines street, was revoked by the Mayor yesterday.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Fourteenth Ward will be held at the German school-house, on Fuller street, between Hoyne and Robey, this evening at 7 o'clock.

A committee appointed by citizens of the Fourth Ward in favor of the re-election of the present Circuit Judges will be held this evening at No. 125 Twenty-second street, up-stairs.

The Mayor has directed that the owners of street-sprinklers be notified to take out regular wagon licenses. His Honor looks upon street-sprinkling as a private enterprise, and can see no reason why it should not be required to pay toll.

Messrs. Burling & Adler are now preparing the plans for the erection for Judge Dickey of a grand building on the southwest corner of Dearborn and Lake streets. This structure will be a basement and five stories in height, fronting 80 feet on Lake and 181 on Dearborn, the principal entrance being on the latter street. It will probably be constructed of sandstone, and, so far as external appearance is concerned, will be fully equal to the most imposing edifices which have been erected in the South Division. Work will be begun upon the foundation in a short time.

Last Sunday night quite an extensive robbery was perpetrated at the music store of Root & Lewis, No. 262 State street. Entrance was obtained to the house by taking out a pane of glass in a cellar window in the rear end of the store. The property taken consisted wholly of hand instruments, such as brass horns, accordions, drums, and flageolets, the whole being valued at $430. It is conjectured that the enterprise of the Jubilee managers has suggested to the burglars the idea of taking this method to secure a ready supply of musical instruments, and that the idea has been adopted. If this be the case, Messrs. Root & Lewis may as well dispense with the service of the detectives, as their property will assuredly be returned to them after the Jubilee is over.

A reporter of the *Daily Union*, named Hildebrand, met with a slight unpleasantness about 6 o'clock last evening. It seems, according to his story, that immediately after emerging from a saloon on Randolph street, he was assaulted by an unknown individual in so vigorous a manner as to leave his coat a complete wreck and greatly interfere with the agreeable operation of his olfactory nerves. The "unknown" affirmed that while walking along with two ladies, one of them his wife, they were grossly insulted by Hildebrand, when his innate sense of justice demanded that he should punish the insulter on the spot. Immediately after his chastisement Hildebrand procured two friends and followed his assaulter some distance, when, not meeting with a policeman, they returned to the consolations of court-plaster and arnica.

The name of H. J. Sawdy ought to be called this morning, at Judge Blanchard's bar, and would have been but for the mistaken interference of those who merely arrested the arm of the law. Sawdy was on one of his periodical drunks, and had, early last evening, gone to his room at the Orient Hotel, where his wife sought to detain him. The shrieks of the poor woman, under the grasp of the brute, and her heavy fall on the floor, alarmed the house, two policemen were summoned, and for a time all was confusion. The drunken wretch, who had swaggered in the presence of women and guests, cowed down at the sight of the brass buttons.

And was, most mistakenly, left to pass the night on the premises he had desecrated. Sawdy has heretofore held responsible position, the duties of which have called him on a daily round among our best business houses. He will probably discover that this little affair is, to him, something more than unfortunate.

The time of the Board of Police Commissioners, yesterday, was mainly taken up in hearing evidence in the case of Lawrence Droney, driver of hose-cart No. 6, and Edward Barrett, driver of hose-cart No. 18, who were charged with carelessness resulting in injury to Fire Department property. It appears that the carts driven by the men collided at the corner of Fisk and Twenty-second streets about dawn a few mornings since, and one of the horses was fatally injured. The evidence proved conclusively that the animal was hidden from view by a large lumber pile, and the Board decided that the charges were not proven. The right of planing mill owners to pile lumber on the public streets is to be investigated. John D. Kline, Jacob Kilsen, Stephen Paine, and Wilson C. Hawkins were appointed members of the regular force. John A. Hall's resignation was accepted.

A special meeting of the Board of Education was held yesterday afternoon for the purpose of awarding the contracts for two new twelve-room primary school buildings. President King occupied the chair. There were present Inspectors Bishop, Calkins, Richberg, Runyan, Stone, Wells, Wilce, and Hesing. The Committee on Buildings and Grounds reported that eight bids had been received for the masonry, eighteen for the carpentry, and three for the painting and glazing. They recommended that the following awards be made: Western Avenue Primary, N. P. Loberg, masonry, $12,522; carpentry, McKecknie, Kerkwood and Towers, $9,550; painting, etc., Austerling & Vanderberg, $1,300. North Side Rolling Mill Primary, carpentry, McKecknie, Kerkwood & Towers, $9,550; glazing, etc., Austerling & Vanderberg, $1,200. The report was concurred in. All the bids for the mason-work of the Rolling-Mill School were rejected, and the committee was authorized to let the contract to Mr. Loberg, if he would take it for the same price as the Western Avenue School. The Board then adjourned until next Tuesday evening.

THE JUDICIAL ELECTION.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: There is no class of the Chicago people that feel more anxious in reference to the Judicial election which is about taking place than the German-Americans. They have been misrepresented to a fearful extent by a comparatively small number of the Germans and by a portion of the public press. As a class of law-abiding citizens, they do not desire that the temperance question should become even a negative element in the Judicial election. Whatever their opinion may be as to the views of any candidate seeking the office of Judge of any of our courts, they desire it to be distinctly understood that they do not wish to support any man upon the single question that he is, or may be, favorable to any Judicial action which would extend to them, as a class of citizens, any special privilege.

On the contrary, the great majority of the German voters desire that the Judicial offices should be filled by men who will enforce the law, whatever it may be, manfully, and regardless of consequences.

There is no class of citizens in Chicago who desire the enforcement of the law to the fullest extent more earnestly than the German-Americans.

As one evidence of this, I need but mention the fact that the late action of some thirty or forty saloon-keepers in reference to the Sunday law, almost universally condemned by them. And even those who, in a moment of excitement, seemed to have forgotten their obligations as citizens, have seen the error of their ways, and are taking every measure, as far as may be, to correct the mistake (if in charity we may so call it) which they have made.

The German-Americans do not countenance any political gunning or electioneering which may be pursued by any candidate on the single ground that his opponent is not an habitue of beer-halls and wine-cellars, and they entirely discountenance the action of candidates seeking the office of Circuit Judge, who base their claims upon the fact that they are not temperance men, and not upon their legal qualifications for the office.

In my daily walks and conversation with the German people of the city, I find that they are in perfect accord with the general public feeling, that the five present Judges of the Circuit Court have given general satisfaction. Each one of them has been untiring in his zeal for the public welfare. The compensation which they have received (until lately) has been far below that liberality which the public has generally extended to its servants; and yet is there a man in the City of Chicago who does not know of the unremitting labor which they have performed? There is not a word said by any portion of the election-eering agents, against the honesty, integrity, and legal ability of any of the present Judges.

When a candidate for the high and honorable position for Circuit Judge of Cook County presents his claim to the people on the ground that he has always taken his glass of wine and beer, and not upon his legal qualifications, he makes himself utterly contemptible in the eyes of the very men that stand behind the counter and cater to the habits and desires of their German customers.

In conversation with one of our most prominent German citizens, he referred with great pride to the good name and fame which the Judges of Cook County have always borne. Shall we now commit the error which New York City made in its Carlozos and McCunes?

There is no class of the public that desire an honest and *safe* Judiciary more than the Germans.

How can our present Judges be displaced then with safety? By such men and *lawyers* as the Hon. Sam Ashley?

The qualifications necessary to make a Judge competent to decide in any of our courts (as understood by a German) are honesty, experience in the legal profession, and ability.

If drinking a glass of wine or beer occasionally would qualify a man for a position as Judge, there are many lawyers as well qualified as some of the candidates now before the people.

I will not trespass further upon your columns, save to propound to every German-American this question, for his consideration until election-day: Can the people and the whole people of our beloved Chicago dispense with the invaluable services of any one of our present Circuit Judges? And, to the glory of the city, and in the interest of public peace and security, I have no doubt that a large majority of the German-Americans will answer, No!

JNO. W. KREOMER.

RAIN AND CORN.

PAXTON, Ill., May 28, 1873.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: I left Chicago on Monday evening, in a rain-storm, and went as far south as Tolono. It had rained all the way, and at Tolono I saw persons from the west as far as Jacksonville, and they all reported the weather very wet and farmers doing no plowing; they are very

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The Chicago Tribune.

Friday Morning, May 30, 1873.

Tweed has asked that his trial be delayed till October, because his counsel is unwell. The Court have not yet answered the application.

The horse-disease is revisiting the vicinity of New York. Seventy cases have broken out in Brooklyn, and two of them have proved fatal.

President Jones, of the Massachusetts Labor-Reformers, describes the Democratic and Republican parties in one felicitous phrase, as the party of the past and the party of spoils.

The amendment to the Constitution of Connecticut making Hartford its only Capital has passed the lower branch of the State Legislature, and now needs only the consent of the people to make it law.

The Hon. W. W. O'Brien, of Peoria, a leading Democrat, has published a card stating that he intends to support Judge Lawrence, whom he knows to be above reproach as a man and a Judge. His defeat he thinks would be a public calamity.

Count Manzoni, the Italian poet and novelist, was buried, yesterday, at Milan. A hundred thousand of his countrymen gathered to pay him their last respects, and among the pall-bearers were the heir-apparent of the Italian throne and ex-King Amadeus.

The attempt to get a vote of approval from the Agricultural Congress for the Morrill bill to distribute the public lands among the Agricultural Colleges was a signal failure. The introduction of the resolutions to that effect provoked a spirited debate, which ended by laying them on the table.

According to a Springfield dispatch, one result of our new Railroad law will be, that New York capitalists will put no more money in Illinois railroads. An attempt to negotiate a loan in Wall street for the Springfield & Illinois Southeastern Railroad has failed, the bankers stating that they distrusted the effect of the law on the railroad interests of the State.

The French Army List, which has not been published for three years, has recently made its reappearance. The total number of Generals in the army appears to be 581, while the whole number of officers reaches the enormous total of over 22,500, which exceeds the number in the German army by over 5,000. The body of the French army consists of 126 regiments of the line, 4 of zouaves, 3 of Turcos, 1 foreign legion, and 30 battalions of chasseurs.

A German-American Central Union was formed at Bismarck Hall by the committees which met there yesterday. Sixteen wards and a number of German societies were present by their representatives. A committee of one from each ward and society was appointed to draft a platform and arrange the plan of a campaign. The organization formed yesterday is a German one, and is meant to be permanent, but will hold itself ready at any time to join with similar bodies of other nationalities in a general movement along the whole line.

The tariff question was brought before the Agricultural Congress at Indianapolis yesterday, in some of the resolutions. One of these calls for the admission of iron free of duty, as it is the chief material in railway and steamship building, and the tax on it is one great cause of high transportation charges. Another resolution refers to the disastrous effect of the wool tariff, under which wool-growers, who were strenuous for its enactment, were almost ruined, and ask that Congress will be good enough hereafter to pass no tariff, protective or otherwise, that will operate unequally. The resolutions were referred to the appropriate committee.

Dr. David J. Lee, formerly a medical officer in the Sandwich Islands, makes the startling statement to the San Francisco *Chronicle* that leprosy exists in that city. Some years ago he learned of cases of leprosy, but they were kept concealed. Now, however, they are to be seen upon the street. In every instance he traces it to a Chinese origin. In the Sandwich Islands it has long been prevalent, and the Government has with great difficulty kept it from spreading. He pronounces it an incurable disease, which can only be kept from increasing by secluding those afflicted with it, so that they may not come in contact with well persons. The statement of Dr. Lee has caused great uneasiness in San Francisco.

The Chicago produce markets were rather quiet yesterday. Mess pork was in fair demand, and 40c per brl higher, closing at $16.15@16.20 cash, and $16.50 seller July. Lard was dull and unchanged at 8¾c per lb for winter, and 8c for summer rendered. Meats were quiet and steady at 6¾@6¾c for shoulders; 8¾@8¾c for short ribs; 8¾@8¾c for short clear; and 10@12c for sweet-pickled hams. Lake freights were active and easier at 4½c for corn to Buffalo. Highwines were dull and unchanged at 91c per gallon. Flour was quiet and steady. Wheat was more active, and ½c higher, closing at $1.30@1.30¼ cash, and $1.27¾ seller June. Corn was quiet and strong at ¼@½c decline, closing at 38½c cash, and 39c seller June. Oats were in fair demand and steady, closing at 32c cash, and 32½c seller June. Rye was quiet and unchanged at 68½c. Barley was inactive and nominally unchanged at 70@78c for poor to good No. 2. Hogs were dull and 10c lower, selling slowly at $4.55@4.85. Cattle were quiet at a reduction of ½c in shipping grades.

The last dodge resorted to by the friends of Mr. Craig to deceive the public is the publication of a letter from Mr. John B. Colton. Of this gentleman the following recently appeared in this paper:

Mr. John Colton, the well-known "medicine man" of Galesburg and vicinity, is one of the active supporters of Craig in the present Judicial contest in the Fifth District. *Mr. Colton's father is, and has* been for a long time, one of the Directors and largest stockholders in the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad. It is perfectly proper for Mr. Colton to support Craig if he chooses, but the public will give him credit at least for knowing on which side his bread is buttered. The inference is pretty strong that the railroad men consider their interests safer in the hands of Craig than in those of Lawrence.

To break the force of these facts, Mr. Colton has consented to write a letter in which he professes to support Judge Lawrence as a railroad man. He says:

I have always been in favor of Judge Lawrence, and, if I live until the day of election, I shall certainly cast my vote for him, knowing that he is an honest man, a lawyer of the highest ability, and well fitted to occupy the position of Supreme Judge. His decisions, during the present term, with regard to railroads, have been entirely satisfactory, and, although I may be prejudiced in his favor, as I am interested in the honorable success of railroads, I believe I have the same right to express my preference for him that others have to express their preference for Judge Craig. Personally, I have the kindest feelings for both candid stes, but, like every other citizen, I shall vote for what I believe to be for my best interests, and shall not blame those opposed to my views for voting for their interest. JOHN B. COLTON.

GALESBURG, May 27, 1873.

This is altogether "too thin" to deceive any person who knows John B. Colton or Judge Lawrence.

DURELL—GRANT—CARPENTER.

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE denounces President Grant for sustaining Judge Durell's decision in favor of the Kellogg Government in Louisiana. It says, with reference to the idea that the Executive must enforce the decisions of the Federal Judges, that "there is no limit to the species of absurdity, except the possible limits of rascality in the United States Court." THE TRIBUNE held an entirely opposite view some months ago, when bought-up Federal Judges (making a bare majority of the Court) decided in favor of the swindling railroad bonds in Iowa. It then contended that the President had nothing to do but to enforce these decisions of the courts, and it arraigned the people of Iowa as rebels for questioning the justice and constitutionality of the decisions. It makes a wonderful difference whose ox is gored! In the one case the poor, down-trodden, and oppressed black race is to be protected. This is not pleasing to THE TRIBUNE. In the other case, the tax-payers of Iowa are oppressed to fill the coffers of wealthy and dishonest railroad contractors, even though all constitutional barriers are broken down, and the most sacred obligations violated. This makes THE TRIBUNE happy.—*Muscatine (Ia.) Journal.*

ANSWER.

The Constitution of the United States declares that the jurisdiction of the United States Courts shall not extend to any suit in which a State is a party defendant, or words to that effect. If some person had sued the State of Iowa in the United States District Court, if the Judge had taken jurisdiction and given judgment against the State, and ordered the Marshal to collect it by levy on the State Treasury, such a case would have been analogous to the action of Judge Durell in New Orleans. He took jurisdiction in a case where it was expressly prohibited by the Constitution. All the members of the Senate Committee say this, including Morton.

If, in the case supposed, the State Treasurer of Iowa should resist the execution, and the Marshal should call on the President for troops to execute his process, would the President be justified in furnishing them? Is the Constitution binding on him or not? Senator Carpenter, by way of letting Grant (or himself) down easy, says it is not. The President must do whatever a District Judge orders, whether it be to seize a State-House or to hang a citizen without jury trial. There is no act so pointedly opposed to the prohibitions of the Constitution that the President must not do it if a District Judge, drunk or sober, orders that it be done. One of the most important orders, by the way, issued by Judge Durell was made outside of the court-room, in the street, without the attestation of the Clerk, and without the seal of the Court. What of that? If the President is bound to violate the Constitution because a District Judge tells him to, the form of the order is of the slightest consequence. Mr. Carpenter will not go into a court-room and offer his professional opinion that the President is required or even permitted to transgress the plain language of the Constitution because some Judge has issued an order which he had no business to issue. Neither will Mr. Morton. All such nonsense is reserved for the stump or the canvas. It is not beyond the bounds of possibility that one or the other of them may take a case in behalf of some client against Gen. Grant, after his term of office expires, to recover damages for his unconstitutional acts in Louisiana. The law does not protect anybody, in office or out of office, in civil or military life, for unlawful acts.

In the county-bond cases, to which the Muscatine *Journal* refers, it was never denied that the United States Court had jurisdiction. It was contended by those who opposed its judgment that the Court erred in not following the *latest* adjudication of the Iowa Supreme Court on the subject. The United States Supreme Court, to which an appeal was taken, held that the latest adjudication applicable to these particular bonds was the one in force at the time the bonds were sold to a confiding public. But it is aside from the purpose to argue the law points involved in the case after the jurisdiction was acquired. That the Court had jurisdiction—it being a case between citizens of different States—there could be no question.

What the Muscatine *Journal* says about going the ox, and about the poor, down-trodden and oppressed black race, has so much the semblance of blather, that we close our reply at this place.

THE FARMERS IN CONVENTION.

The meeting of the National Agricultural Congress at Indianapolis finds its first importance in showing the strength of the farmers' organizations throughout the country. Twenty-four States are represented from Vermont to Georgia, and this means that the farmers are wheeling into line with the purpose of protecting their own interests in their own way. It is significant that they are coming nearer together by means of their local organizations in the North and South, and in the East and West. Their sectional interests are not always identical, but there seems to be a good comprehension of the fact that their general interests are the same, and that they are powerful enough to protect them by unity of action. Ninety societies are reported as represented with 150 delegates in all; but the most remarkable statement of strength is found in the third annual report of the Secretary of the Congress, who says that there are already 10,000 agricultural associations in the country, which have an aggregate membership of 400,000 farmers. This estimate evidently includes all the State, county, and town organizations, the clubs, granges, universities, boards, councils, and patrons of industry. Two-thirds of these associations, it is announced, have been organized within the past six months, or since the attention of the farming community has been directed to the special hardships which it is called upon to bear in a bad year. It is fair to presume, therefore, that the majority of these societies have been organized with the practical purpose of putting down the abuses that are responsible for their present sufferings, and therein differ from the former associations of farmers organized simply with a view to the advancement of agriculture as a science, and to promote the local interests of particular sections. In their new form, these farmers' associations have a semi-political character, and, although there is no pretense or profession of political purpose, they cannot fail to exert a strong influence in the shaping of future political events of prime importance to the country.

Many of the subjects referred by the Indianapolis Convention to special committees for discussion are of a class interest to the farmers alone,—such as meterology and corn crops, horticulture and entomology. Others, however, such as the railway system, the transportation problem, society organization, agricultural colleges, and the public lands, are of general import, and the resolutions of the Indianapolis Congress on these subjects will be looked for with interest, though they will not necessarily express the settled convictions of the majority of the farmers, because of the incompleteness of the representation, the newness of the organizations, and the lack of instruction to delegates. The question of transportation, for instance, which is the most important of all under present consideration, has not been before the farmers long enough for them to understand it fully or suggest an intelligent and practical remedy. From present indications, it is not probable that the Indianapolis Convention will give Free Trade anything like the consideration which its importance demands. This principle is the foundation for every adequate remedy of not only the transportation question, but of all the other grievances of which the farmers complain. It is probable that, before this fact is fully recognized by the farmers, their cause will be harassed by patent remedies suggested in the interest of political parties and demagogues, and their movement will be diverted in a variety of directions favorable to everything else except their relief. It is, perhaps, too early to expect in a convention of partial representation that the oppression of the protective system should be clearly developed and generally understood, but no side-fights against railroads and middle-men will help them out of their present embarrassments. Until they unite in a common effort to break down the system which coerces from them the payment of 50 per cent additional upon the implements they use, the clothes they wear, and the transportation of their grain, and which debars them from competing on equal terms with the pauper labor of Europe, their conventions, congresses, and societies will fall short of that practical scope for which their organizations would otherwise be efficient.

The farmers are stopping half-way when their national conventions ignore this great abuse underlying all their troubles to discuss the profits of middle-men. These, though they may be excessive, furnish at least the compensation of convenience and service. So the railroads, though they may be extortionate in their charges in some cases, have facilitated the exchange of commodities, and brought markets to agricultural sections that would otherwise have been shut out from a sale of their productions. The tariff alone, created for the benefit of monopolists in all lines, offers no compensation, no convenience, no service whatever to the farmers, but only extortion and oppression at every point. It does not relieve taxation; it is largely responsible for the overcharges of the railroads; it represents one-third of the cost of every implement which the farmer uses, and every article of clothing he and his family wear; it increases the cost of production; it diminishes the value of agricultural products by lowering the exchangeable value of all exports; and it is the single element of the Government which undertakes to throw the burden of an iniquity all upon an innocent class, and bestow its benefits upon a guilty class. The farmers are the innocent class, which bears the burden, and the monopolists are the guilty class, which derives the profit. Neither shares with the other. How, then, can any convention of farmers in this country, whether national or local, overlook the part which the tariff is playing in this fight of theirs for self-protection against monopoly and extortion?

The Bradlaugh scheme of Republican government in England has met with a decided rebuff from John Bright, which is all the more severe as Bradlaugh and his associates had counted upon Mr. Bright's support and sympathy. At the recent Republican Convention held at Birmingham, of political societies favorable to Republicanism, for the purpose of forming a National Republican organization, the Secretary read a letter from Mr. Bright, who had been invited to attend, which closed as follows: "I have no sympathy with the object which gives its name to your club. I prefer to try to do good in the way of political reform by what I regard as a wiser and less hazardous, if a less ambitious, method, and, from what we have seen of the past, I think we may gather hope and faith for the future." The example of the case with which an existing monarchy may be overthrown and the difficulty in substituting a stable form of government in its place, has been so frequent of late in Europe, that it is no wonder Mr. Bright thinks the only way to obtain good government is to commence reform in the existing government. In his own words: "It may be a wise policy to perfect the civil government we have rather than to look for great changes which necessarily involve enormous risks."

THE ELECTION OF CIRCUIT JUDGES.

There are many circumstances about the election of Circuit Judges in Cook County on Monday next which have combined to create a general apathy among the people, not in regard to the issue, of which there is but one opinion, but in regard to the duty and necessity for voting. In the first place, it seems scarcely to be understood that all five of our Circuit Judges are to be elected, since such a construction of the Constitution is comparatively recent. In the next place, there is a general impression that, as there is only one ticket in the field, consisting of the present Circuit Judges, there is no necessity for polling a large vote, and people might just as well stay away from the polls as not. It is of the utmost concern that this impression should be removed. The importance of the present election is precisely equivalent to the importance of having an honest and able Judiciary. The Judges to be elected next Monday hold their offices six years. It has been agreed with surprising unanimity among the press, the political parties, the lawyers, and the people, that the only safe course to guard against the danger of incapacity or corruption creeping into Judicial position at the present time, is to re-elect the five gentlemen,—Messrs. Rogers, Williams, Tree, Booth, and Farwell,—who are now the Circuit Judges. No opposition ticket has, therefore, been put into the field, and but one man, Sam Ashton, is disposed to contest the election. Herein lies the danger. If the respectable people of the city and county shall remain away from the polls under the conviction that our five Judges will certainly be elected, it is not at all impossible that Sam Ashton will be able to drum up enough votes to defeat one of these candidates. Suppose, for instance, that the public apathy, which we have reasonably accounted for, shall keep down the whole vote of the county to, say, 500. All that Mr. Ashton will need to do, in that case, is to rally the bummers in a couple of wards to secure enough votes to defeat whichever of the five candidates—Williams, Rogers, Tree, Booth, or Farwell—shall receive the smallest number of votes. It is not necessary for us to repeat that this would be a public calamity, from which the interests of Chicago and Cook County would be likely to suffer more or less for the next six years. All respectable people concede as much. It must be averted, and the only way to make sure of this is, for every man to take the time next Monday to go to the polls. There will be no rush, as in the case of hotly-contested general elections, and the time and trouble will be insignificant compared to the importance of the result. It is necessary to keep in mind that there is a real danger that Sam Ashton, who has the field of bummerism all to himself on this occasion, may work up and pull out enough votes to elect him over one of the candidates, if the people generally stay away from the polls. Such a prospect as this should prompt every man to cast his vote next Monday as a more important duty than that of voting for President, Governor, Mayor, or at any other election.

THE SHOT-GUN AS A JUDICIAL WEAPON.

Southern papers bring us the facts concerning a recent attempt at murder at Atlanta, and the temporary postponement of the job by the interference of the legal authorities. The Atlanta *Herald* of May 23 announces that the "community was stirred day before yesterday into vivid excitement by the flashing out of a difficulty" between Alexander St. Clair-Abrams, editor of that paper, and Col. Carey W. Styles, editor of the Albany *News*. The difficulty that thus flashed out had its origin last year. Styles had a fight with a man named Nichols at a political convention, and Abrams, who was present, telegraphed an account of it to a paper. This report Styles denounced in the usual Southern language, and Abrams rejoined in equally fiery words. There the matter rested until recently, when it became public rumor that Abrams was of part negro blood, and this rumor was traced to Styles. Finally, on the 20th, Abrams was informed of the story and of its authorship. His first impulse was to seek Styles, but was persuaded to write, and thereupon he sent the following note:

ATLANTA, May 20, 1873.

Carey W. Styles:

SIR: It has come to my knowledge from a reliable source that you have put in circulation a report that I have negro blood in my veins. I desire to know whether or not my information is correct. An immediate and unequivocal reply is instantly demanded. I am, sir, ALEX. ST. CLAIR ABRAMS.

The bearer was Col. Alston, to whom Styles said: "You ought not to have brought me this note. I recognize you as a gentleman. Mr. St. Clair-Abrams I do not, and cannot hold any communication with him." To this Alston replied: "If this is your final answer, prepare to die or to kill Mr. St. Clair-Abrams." The *Herald* says that this remark "excited" Styles, and the statement is probably true. Alston reported to Abrams, who, with great forbearance, waited half an hour for a written reply. This not coming, he proceeded to Heina's store, purchased a double-barreled shot-gun, had it loaded for him, and "proceeded with it toward the Kimball House with it (the gun) slung by his side." On the way, he saw Styles in the middle of the street, and at once put his gun to his shoulder to fire at him, when the Mayor and a policeman seized and disarmed him, and put him under arrest. Soon after, the following note was delivered to Alston:

ATLANTA, Ga., May 20, 1873.

Col. R. A. Alston, Atlanta:

The communication handed me this day by yourself, from Mr. Alex. St. Clair-Abrams, needs this reply. I am not the author of any report in relation to Mr. St. Clair-Abrams' blood, but did say if he was a son of a certain family of Abrams of Augusta he had negro blood in his veins. I made inquiry in Augusta a few days ago, and satisfied myself that Mr. St. Clair-Abrams is not of the family reported, and have frequently so stated since, fully acquitting him of the imputation. I make no such charge against Mr. St. Clair-Abrams. Respectfully, your obedient servant, CAREY W. STYLES.

Alston refused to receive the note, insisting that it must be directed to Abrams. Late at night, Col. D. P. Hill presented the same note to Alston, with this postscript:

Please hand this note to Mr. Abrams as my reply to his communication, which, I trust, will be satisfactory. C. W. S.

Alston received this note so far as to refer it to Abrams. The latter refused to receive it, insisting that nothing would be satisfactory but an unequivocal apology.

Early next morning, Abrams, who had been under guard all night, was taken to the Court-House, his counsel being Maj. Hillyer. The testimony was heard, when the Court, Judge Hopkins, according to the *Herald*, "made some of the most beautiful and appropriate remarks we have ever heard." The following are some of the beautiful remarks of the Court:

That he had carefully considered this case as a man and a magistrate; that the peace must be preserved at all hazards; that a failure on the part of the Mayor and his officers on Tuesday to do their duty, and instead of this trial there might have been a trial for killing, and the remainder of defendant's life embittered with regret; that he appreciated the provocation; that whenever a charge was made by the slanderous tongue of another that his blood was tainted, that the imperfection of human nature,—if it was an imperfection,—would, in the opinion of every man worthy to live, justify a resort to the shot-gun; that when the imputation of the want of chastity of a man's mother was added to the provocation, there are few men who would not pronounce it an offense that only blood could wipe out; but at the same time his duty was clear, and, knowing the defendant, he felt compelled to bind him over in a $10,000 bond.

Whether the Court intended to be understood that the "shot-gun," as distinguished from the rifle or the revolver, is the appropriate means of avenging a slander of this kind, is one of the questions peculiar to the code, and can only be determined by an expert. Certainly the Court intimated that such an offense could only be wiped out by blood, which is an extreme reading of the law of libel to be delivered from the Bench.

Abrams gave the bond, his sureties requiring of him a pledge that "inside the State he would keep the peace until the bond expired." A convention of editors from different parts of the State, then in Atlanta, decided that it was the duty of Styles to address his note of explanation and reparation directly to Abrams, and accordingly Styles authorized the change of the address from "Col. Alston" to "Mr. Abrams." This, however, Abrams refused, insisting on an original note of apology from Styles. The *Herald* states that public opinion is on the side of Abrams, and adds that "the slander was so terrible and jagged in its suggestions that Mr. St. Clair-Abrams was absolutely stupefied when the foul report was flashed upon him." It further gives the genealogy of Mr. Abrams, from which it appears that he "belongs to a family throughly respectable in every respect, of pure and good Spanish blood, and for several generations known and esteemed by the communities in which they live." His mother is now living in Kingston, Jamaica. He served honorably in the artillery service of the Confeerate army. From present indications, there is a fair prospect that an editor will be killed in Atlanta.

A gentleman writing to us on business from Mason County, Ill., says: "I think the farmers in this community do not wish the Judicial elections to be degraded by pledges in the interest of any class, and they will pray that the miserable demagogues who do might be banished, at least till after election." To this conclusion not only the farmers, but all right-minded, intelligent men must come. A Judiciary got up and elected to order to make decisions according to programme, would be an outrage upon the civilization of the age. The world would point to it as a sure index of the degeneracy, and, therefore, of the early ruin of the Republic. Illinois has been justly proud of her Judges, and for her people now to violate the very first principles of right and duty by electing Judges pledged in advance to a specified course of action on any question likely to come before them, would be an indelible disgrace. It would mark the beginning of an era, the end of which no intelligent man could fail to foresee.

Miss Anna Dickinson, as we learn from a reliable pair of lips, is to be married to-day to Senator Allison, of Iowa. This is the way the strong-minded will "improve the proper opportunity presents."—*St. Louis Republican, May 28.*

It is in the papers that Senator Allison and Miss Neeley, of Burlington, adopted daughter of Senator Grimes, are to be married next month.—*DesMoines Register, May 28.*

If any other newspaper knows any other lady who is to be married to Senator Allison, now is the time to make it public.

NOTES AND OPINION.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston *Journal* writes:

It is known here that the Chicago Bar are perfecting an organization to secure the appointment of United States Circuit Judge Drummond of that city to the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Drummond was formerly from Galena, Illinois. He has the respect of both political parties. Justice Davis, of the Supreme Court, regards him the best United States Circuit Judge now on the Bench. Sidney Breese, the present Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Illinois, is also a candidate. Mr. Breese was strongly advocated as a candidate for Vice-President on the ticket with Horatio Seymour in 1868.

—Evidently the party managers in Iowa are disposed to go right along, unbelieving that anything has happened or is likely to happen to disturb their plans. The Davenport *Gazette* (organ) says:

The call for delegates to the State Nominating Convention will remind the Republicans of Scott County of the duty which devolves upon them to maintain the ascendency of the Republican party and the triumph of Republican principles.

Then there is some more about "standing firmly in line with their brethren in other States," and "saving the Union," and that sort of talk. We thought the Union had been saved last year. It is *Iowa* that holds an election this year.

—All this while the New York *World* is beating the tom-tom for a reassembling of the Democracy, pure and simple. It says:

But what now? The Democrats are at the end o their chosen course. They have slipped or tumbled to the bottom. *Facilis est descensus.* The force of expediency can no further go. What will they do? Stand where they are, only to wheel round and round like a dog in his kennel preparatory to lying down to a sleep of shame that may know no waking? Having gone to the wall, would they go to the dogs? Or will they shake off the indolence of defeat, regain the course from which they never should have turned aside, and, girding their loins, pursue it firmly, faithfully, fearlessly, without a shadow of turning, to the end, which, unlike the depths of demoralization and defeat, but on the heights of victorious power? Between these alternatives the Democracy will not hesitate. It cannot hesitate.

—A call has been signed by 291 citizens of Polk County for a public meeting in DesMoines, Iowa, June 7, to consider the propriety of nominating candidates to be supported by the people, regardless of politics, at the October election of Governor, Legislature, etc. A like movement is showing itself all over the State.

—Here's something the Cincinnati *Enquirer* calls Communism, and don't like, viz:

We observe that Mr. Mueller, the Republican Lieutenant-Governor of Ohio, from Cleveland, and a member of the Constitutional Convention, proposes to insert a section in the Constitution to guarantee electors the right to recall members of the Legislature when they are displeased with them. This is a principle borrowed from the French Commune.

Suppose this sort of principle, from whoever borrowed, prevailed as to Congressmen, for instance, wouldn't our Senators and Representatives toe the mark? Wouldn't they have a very quickened and instant perception of the popular feeling (in all parties) this year?

—The Rhode Island Government for the year was installed at Newport, Wednesday, with the usual pomp and ceremony. Henry Howard, of Coventry, took the oath as Governor, and the Legislature elected C. C. Van Zandt, of Newport Lieutenant-Governor (there having been no choice by the people), by 79 votes to 17 for Ballou. Col. Edwin Metcalf, of Providence, was elected Speaker of the House, and Ira O. Seamans, of Warwick, and C. F. Ballou, of Woonsocket, Clerks.

—Speaking of the resignation of Franklin B. Gowen from the Pennsylvania Constitutional Convention, the Pittsburgh *Evening Telegraph* says:

Mr. Gowen, as President of the Reading Railroad, went into the Convention the representative of the most powerful monopoly (with one exception) in Pennsylvania;—went there to see that no harm came to his magnificent scheme. His protests amounted to very little. The Convention placed in the organic law to go to the people, restrictions on such corporations. Mr. Gowen was naturally disgusted at finding that the giant corporations of the State had no more influence in perverting the Convention to their purposes than the ring politicians, and so he resigned. He has probably as bad opinion of the delegates as had Mr. Speaker Elliott, though he will hardly express it in language as forcible as that individual did in the House last winter. It is the opposition of these people, monopolists and ring politicians, that will commend the amended Constitution as much as anything else, to the voters of the State. It tells the whole story.

—The coming Congress has a grand opportunity before it to redeem our sullied reputation. Will it profit by the mistakes of the past?—*Cleveland Leader.*

—No people on the face of the earth are more capable of understanding their real interests, and yet no people are more imposed upon through the delusion of precedents and party than our own. Is it not time to take a new departure? Let us begin. Let us establish a new precedent by electing only honest men to office.—*Pittsburgh Post.*

—It appears to be a time for squaring accounts, just now, in the Democratic party. We have before given the strong protest of the Schuylkill and Berks Democratic papers, against longer following the lead of the present managers of the party in Pennsylvania, and the Lebanon *Advertiser* follows suit in indorsing the protest. The other Democratic papers of the State respond but slowly; but it is plain that there is discontent in the ranks of no ordinary kind.—*Pittsburgh Commercial (Administration).*

—Now let us have a people's convention in Kansas and make nominations of the best men in the State, and all the bribery and villainy that the party-leaders are master of cannot defeat it. The politicians in this country are the most villainous that ever cursed any country, and we want to bring them squarely and openly before the people. Then we can defeat them.—*Lawrence (Kan.) Standard.*

—The successful prosecution of this Credit Mobilier suit to a righteous judgment will do more for public morality in this country than anything which has occurred lately. The complaint upon which the officers of the Government ask judgment, is a flagrant breach of trust, and a gigantic robbery, one which affects injuriously all the material interests of society, from the lowest laborer to the princely merchant, and one, that if justice were done, would bring ruin and desolation to every person connected with it.—*Janesville (Wis.) Gazette.*

—We have not much faith that this suit will be urged very zealously. The proof is plain enough, and there is plenty of it, but other influences are operating, and, even if a judgment were obtained, it would excite no surprise to see Congress release it. The Mobilier stock, divided among members, did not pay largely as a speculation. A fresh suction will be put on the Pacific fountain beyond question.—*St. Paul (Minn.) Pioneer.*

—We are not complaining of Gen. Grant but of the system. The danger has not been felt yet to any extent, but it lies lurking there in ambush; the average voter has been too strong for it to show its head yet; but let us get a strong despot in power, at the time of some civil commotion, with the army in his hand as a tool; with the treasure of the nation, collected and uncollected, in the hands of his creatures; with the means of diffusing knowledge and information (the Post-office Department) completely under his control; the courts and diplomacy governed by him or his children,—and see what will come. Think of this and ask if we do not want reformation, radical reformation. We want the sources of power brought back to the people.—*Leavenworth (Kan.) Commercial.*

—The Administration is no doubt inclined to favor such a rupture with Mexico, and our people have been educated to look upon the Northern provinces of Mexico as necessarily to be annexed to the Union, in the interests of commerce and safety, but any act or course of conduct based upon a disregard of international law and existing treaties should be deprecated.—*Galveston (Tex.) News.*

—We cherish in Mexico "free institutions"—because they are *free* for perpetual revolutions—*free* for anarchy—*free* for successive murder—and despotism—until the good time comes, when we shall affectionately receive them into our embraces, and make them the Alabamas, Carolinas, Louisianas and Floridas of our grand Southern-Mexican domains.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

—Even at the risk of destroying the friendly relations between the two countries, it is time they were disturbed enough to let our sister republic know that she cannot with impunity harbor and encourage such predatory bands.—*Hartford (Ct.) Courant.*

—The question now is, if our army takes six months to capture fifty Modoc bucks, squaws, and papooses, how long will it take, and what will it cost, to capture the 5,000 warriors who are mustering on the Upper Missouri for a fight this summer?—*Brooklyn (N. Y.) Union.*

—Speaking of the appointment of Williamson, of Louisiana, to the Central American mission, the St. Louis *Globe* says: "By this selection the President has again shown his anxiety to respect the feelings and promote the substantial interests of the Southern people." If the President desires to show that anxiety in some other way the Southern people would like him much more than they do.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

—We see that the Kellogg faction have resolved to send their ablest colored orators throughout the North to "enlighten the people" in relation to Louisiana. Keep them at home. There is plenty of work for them to do. They had much better go through their own State and urge whites and blacks to respect law, cease from turbulence and riot, lay aside animosities, labor for the common good of their fellow-citizens, and see to it that when next the ballot is appealed to there shall be a fair vote and an honest count.—*Buffalo Commercial Advertiser.*

—We do not feel absolutely certain that Cincinnati will build a first-class railroad to Chattanooga, or to the moon, or to the end of the rainbow; but we feel sure that an expenditure of $100,000,000 for canals by the General Government, in the name of cheap transportation, will not be made immediately.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

—It is not yet certain who will get that $3,000 appropriated by the Ohio Legislature for lobbying the Morgan raid claim through Congress. Three thousand dollars will make but a slight impression upon Congress. Since the increase of their salaries, they will probably increase the price of votes. There will be one advantage, however, to the lobbyist, by referring to the vote on the back-pay question will know where the money can be spent to best advantage.—*Toledo Blade.*

—The principal Senatorial squealer from New Jersey, Frelinghuysen, declines the back pay. He is excessively loyal, though, to the President, whose signature slung one million and a quarter of dollars to the retiring Congressmen, and a cool hundred thousand to himself.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

—It wasn't the poorest M. C.'s exclusively, after all, that took the salary-steal. Senators Sprague and Chandler, Cameron and Pomeroy, who count their wealth by millions, pocketed the miserable plunder.—*Boston Journal.*

—The State Treasury ring organ (Pittsburgh *Commercial*) is slapping away at the Congressional salary-grabbers, but nary a word has it for Grant, who could have used the veto and prevented the steal. He preferred indorsing and signing the bill because it provided him with an extra $100,000. This the *Commercial* will not deny.—*Pittsburgh Post.*

—One by one, the Congressmen who so greedily gobbled up their back pay, imagining that there was something peculiarly sharp in their giving to the salary bill a retrospective clause, are returning it to the Treasury, feeling that their manœuvre was anything but shrewd. Even those who left their money undrawn, intending to go after it when the excitement died away, are being unearthed, and compelled to put the money beyond their reach. Some of those innocent grabbers didn't know that the money would wait for them, or they would have ordered it back long ago!—*Pittsburgh Gazette.*

Two Men Suffocated in an Out-House Vault.

COLUMBUS, O., May 29.—A most horrible case of suffocation occurred here early this morning. A colored man named Van Brown was engaged in digging a vault close by an old vault that was filled to overflowing with filth of every description. About midnight the new vault was completed, and, while opening a connection so as to allow the contents of the old one to empty into the new one, suddenly the partition gave way, precipitating the huge mass of filth upon Brown, suffocating him almost instantly. An assistant's call for help was answered by a young white man, named Jacob Jasper, who arose from his bed and hurried to the place. Thinking to save Brown, he sprang into the vault and grasped Brown, but before he could be rescued he was also suffocated.

"Old Man Bender."

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., May 29.—A gentleman who has lived within eight miles of the Bender farm in Kansas, and who helped in exhuming the dead bodies, came here to-day from DesMoines for the express purpose of seeing the person now in jail here supposed to be "old man Bender." During his interview with the prisoner, the latter told him that he knows Brockman, who lives near Bender's house; also, the names of several other persons living in the vicinity. He says he has no reasonable doubt but what the prisoner is "old Bender."

WALL STREET.

Review of the Money, Gold, Bond, Stock, and Produce Markets.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Wall street was without any new feature to-day. Money ruled easy.

STOCKS.

The interest in the stock market centered in Pacific Mail and Union Pacific, which were irregular. The remainder of the list was exceedingly quiet, and outside of Western Union the changes were only ¼ to ½ per cent. The highest quotations were current early in the day, and the lowest late in the afternoon. Pacific Mail declined 3¼ per cent, and weakened the general market. The statement made by the Company yesterday causes a general feeling of dissatisfaction on account of the lack of details. The

THE SALOON INTEREST.

Convention of German Delegates from the Several Wards at Bismarck Hall.

Proposition to Invite the Co-operation of All Nationalities Favorably Received.

Organization of the Deutsch-Americanisch Central Verein.

Appointment of a Committee of Agitation.

The delegates from those wards which have organized in support of the New Departure, and from the various German musical and other organizations, met yesterday evening in Bismarck Hall, in the Teutonic Building.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Adolph Schoeninger, who briefly stated the manner in which the movement had started in the Seventeenth Ward, and its objects. It was for those present to decide whether they would have a temporary or permanent organization, and which programme they would adopt.

Mr. Schoeninger was elected temporary Chairman, and stated he doubted not they had all come actuated by honorable motives, and that they would prove to the Americans that they occupied a safe and reasonable ground.

After a little discussion, it was decided to transact the business in both English and German.

William Vocke was nominated as Secretary, but declined, and Mr. Fricke was elected.

Mr. Hesing moved the delegates from the various wards and societies sit together. It met with unaccountable opposition, and was withdrawn by Mr. Hesing, who desired to avoid anything that was calculated to disturb harmony. It was renewed by Mr. Niehoff and carried.

The roll was called, and it appeared that delegates were present representing the Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth and Twentieth Wards and the Chicago Turn Gemeinde, Turn Verein, Vorwarts, Aurora Turn Verein, South Chicago Turn Verein, Germania Mannerchor, Schleswig Holstein Verein, Orpheus Freisminger Burger, Hildische Band, and Liedertranz.

A motion that the proceedings be conducted only in German was opposed by Ald. Schaffner, since he wanted an organization which would embrace all nationalities, and not the German merely. They must not lay themselves open to the charge of getting up a German Know-Nothing movement,—not that that was their intention, but it would be imputed to them.

Julius Rosenthal said they were just as good American citizens, even if they spoke German. If all their proceedings were in German, they would appear in all the English papers. He believed that all motions should be put in both languages, and let the delegates talk in whatever language they pleased.

Col. Knobleedorff moved to appoint a Central Committee composed of one delegate from each ward and society represented.

Mr. Richard Michaelis said, while the new movement had met with some favor from THE TRIBUNE, it had been called a German Know-Nothing one by the *Times* and *Inter-Ocean*. He believed they had better not hurry to make a Central Committee, and not make out a platform; but at a later day proceed to get up a committee which would embrace all nationalities. They must extend their sphere of activity in the various wards, take in Irish, Americans, and Scandinavians, and, when they had done that, make a central organization and declaration of principles. To do it at present would be premature.

Col. Knobleedorff said he wanted simply a committee for organization.

Mr. Michaelis moved that the Committee appointed under Col. Knobleedorff's motion be directed to work and canvass in the various wards, and prepare for the organization of a Central Committee which would represent all nationalities.

The Chair said the only programme they had was that of the Seventeenth Ward, which was to organize the German vote, and that alone. They need not be alarmed by the talk about a German Know-Nothing party. This was a purely German meeting, and he was opposed to logging in English. It was a purely German meeting, and the movement as yet was a purely German one, to control German votes. If they did not confine to that, they would have their trouble for nothing. He wanted an immediate organization, and then let the Central Committee go its own way.

Mr. Michaelis declared the meeting was free to do what it pleased, and was not governed by the Seventeenth Ward resolutions. If they made up a committee and programme at once, they would place themselves out from all other nationalities, which was what they must especially avoid, since they could never succeed alone, for there was a very strong Puritanical element. They could win only by uniting all the liberal-minded elements, and that certainly could not be done if a central committee was made up consisting of Germans alone.

Mr. Rosenthal said their resolutions showed they could not be accused of Know-Nothingism. They showed that the cause rested on great principles, which appealed to all nationalities, and which concerned all citizens. They should begin at once with organization and platform, and not wait for increased numbers.

Mr. Michaelis' motion was opposed by Ald. Schaffner so far as the meeting's not passing any resolutions was concerned. He saw no objection to getting up an Agitation Committee to call a meeting hereafter to choose a Central Committee, but if the present meeting wanted to pass resolutions it could do so.

Mr. Michaelis' motion, so far as concerned the appointment of a committee of one from each ward and society, to agitate in the various wards and call a delegate meeting hereafter to choose a Central Committee, was adopted.

Mr. Rosenthal moved the appointment of a committee to prepare a platform.

Mr. Michaelis opposed it, thinking they had better wait till all nationalities were represented.

It was suggested that the Seventeenth Ward's resolutions would do.

Philip Stein had no particular desire for a platform, but offered as a substitute for the motion some resolutions similar to those adopted in the Seventeenth Ward.

Mr. Thiesne thought they could stand on the principle of the resolutions, but he did not believe it politic to pass it. The platform on which they were to stand must be a wider one.

Mr. Hesing said he thought the organization should have a platform at once, and let the Germans take the initiative in the movement. The liberal-minded Republicans and Democrats would thank them for it. There was no reason why the Germans should not have their special meetings and organizations to start the movement. They made a great mistake if they went further without at once having a clearly-defined platform. They also wanted an address to the public prepared, and with it they would go out as American citizens. It must be a carefully-prepared document, drawn up by able men, and setting forth all their grievances. They must have a platform broad enough for all nationalities to stand upon, and they should not leave the hall till a committee had been appointed to prepare one.

Ald. Schaffner moved that the present meeting declare itself permanently organized, and then they, as German-American citizens, could appoint a committee and adopt such addresses and resolutions as they pleased.

Mr. Rosenthal opposed the adoption of any hastily-offered resolutions. Time was needed, in order that a carefully-worded declaration of principles could be prepared.

Col. Knobleedorff moved that the Organization Committee be intrusted with the task of preparing a platform, and Mr. Rosenthal accepted it.

Mr. Eberhardt thought Mr. Stein's resolutions were broad and satisfactory enough.

Mr. Michaelis moved that each delegation appoint a representative to serve on the Organization Committee.

Mr. F. A. Hoffman, Jr., hoped they would have a Committee on Resolutions, which could report to a subsequent meeting. Mr. Stein's resolutions were good as far as they went, but were not broad enough to make a satisfactory platform.

Col. Knobeledorff's motion, as accepted by Mr. Rosenthal, was adopted, and Mr. Stein's resolutions sent to that Committee.

Mr. Schaffner's motion was taken up, and he spoke in favor of it, since it would furnish to the German-speaking citizens an organization through which they could express their views.

F. A. Hoffman, Jr., supported the motion. There present had met as Germans, and it was only proper that they should have their special organization, outside of, but forming a part of, the general organization, which would embrace all nationalities. He closed with the usual exhortation for unity, and the assurance that if they failed in the fall it would simply be because they allowed themselves to be divided.

Ald. Schaffner's motion was adopted, and it was decided that the organization be called the Deutsch-Americanisch Central Verein.

The Committee on Organization or Agitation was then made up as follows: Frank Schweinfurth, William Floth, Chris. Tegtmeyer, C. Niehoff, Dr. Matthei, Max Eberhardt, Emil Muhlke, R. Thieme, F. A. Hoffman, J. Schillinger, R. Michaelis, G. R. Korn, William Schwarz, B. Eisendrath, Carl Dahinten, Philip Stein, H. Schandlin, W. Schaeffer, Carl Ehnhm, R. Freiberg, A. C. Hesing, R. Christianisen, J. C. Meyer, Peter Hand, A. Erbe, L. Schwuchow, F. Sengl, and the editors of the various German papers.

F. A. Hoffman moved the temporary Chairman be made the permanent one.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. Stein was elected permanent Secretary.

The meeting adjourned.

A WHOLESALE MURDERESS.

Mrs. Lamb, of Trimbelle, Wis., Poisons Her Children and Neighbors—A Kind Nurse, but Fed Her Patients with Strychnine — A Prayerful Woman, but Too Ready to Send Her Friends to Heaven.

Correspondence of The Chicago Tribune.

ST. PAUL, May 28, 1873.

At Ellsworth, in Pierce County, Wis., was commenced, yesterday, before the Circuit Court for that county, the trial of Mrs. Charlotte Lamb, arrested in November last for the murder, by poison, of two of her own children, and a man and woman of the neighborhood in which she lived, in Trimbelle Township. An information is on file in each case separately; but the proof in each one is conclusive. Chemical analyses of the contents of their stomachs revealed strychnine in fatal quantities in the children, and equal to 30 grains each was taken from the stomachs of her adult victims. She was alone with her boy, Don Orrin Lamb, a lad of 13 years, when he was taken suddenly sick, and died, as was supposed of heart-disease. She was also alone with her little girl, a pretty child of 10 years, when it sickened and died just as suddenly. Mrs. Ottman, a neighbor, complained of faintness. Mrs. Lamb gave her a dose of her preparation, and Mrs. Ottman was a corpse in a few hours. Royal Garland ate too much dinner, and asked Mrs. Lamb to prepare him a dose of pain-killer. The dose she gave him threw him into spasms, which ended with his death a few hours after. The children were poisoned in May and June of last year, and the others in August following. She is popularly accused, also, of having poisoned her husband, who died suddenly in the fall of 1871; a Mr. Fuller, of Trimbelle, who died shortly before that time; the first Mrs. Lamb, who died in Vermont, in 1853-54; and a young woman in Vermont who was her rival for the hand of the widower. But the doctors say her husband died from natural causes, and there is no evidence to show that she killed the others, save that, as with her known victims, they were nursed and doctored by Mrs. Lamb, and died in her arms.

I saw this woman in her jail cell, at Ellsworth, recently. She is fat, fair, and forty, with a dull but not an evil countenance. Her character, too, until these murders were brought home to her, was that of a good and kind woman. In 1862 she carried her baby girl, and half carried her little boy,—the same children she poisoned last year,—all the way from Arlington, Sibley County, in this State, to St. Paul; and her motherly devotion was noted in all the records of that year of Sioux raids and murders. In Trimbelle, for near ten years, she was the Good Samaritan of her neighborhood, whom everybody called upon when they wanted a country medicine compounded, a sick person to be well taken care of, or a watcher with the dead. She was noted, too, for her piety, and the zeal with which she prayed for and with the sick and dying. The man Garland, whom she poisoned, was a half-witted fellow, a bachelor, for whom no other woman of the neighborhood would do anything; but Mrs. Lamb mended his clothes and stockings, washed for him and cooked for him, and pitied him that he was such a weak-headed man. But chiefly she poisoned him, and while he lay writhing with pain, the woman was all the time exhorting him to put his trust in God and be prepared to die. For an hour or so next morning, she was left alone with his corpse, and she passed the most of the time in prayer.

Of course the defense set up is insanity. A physician from the Madison Hospital for the Insane, and a number of medical experts, have been called to testify as to her sanity. The trial will occupy several days, and will prove the woman either to be subject to a strange form of insanity, or to be one of the worst of the devils that ever held the form of woman.

The State is represented in the case by ex-Senator (State) E. H. Ives, the County-Attorney of Pierce County, and assisted by his law-partner, Mr. Smith, of Prescott. The defense will be conducted by Messrs. Spooner & Baker, of Hudson, leaders in the criminal practice of Northwest Wisconsin, and associated with Mr. Bovans, a young lawyer of Ellsworth. ECHO.

THE MISSOURI EDITORIAL EXCURSIONISTS.

The members of the Missouri Editorial Association arrived in this city last evening at 9 o'clock, from Louisiana, Mo., over the Chicago, Alton & St. Louis Railway. They were taken to the Gault House, where arrangements had been made to receive them. The Association, after its session at Louisiana, made an excursion down the river on the boat Rob Roy, and returned by the Gen. Anderson. The excursion to Chicago was gotten up by Maj. R. A. Campbell and E. P. Dyer, Esq., of Louisiana, who secured passes for the whole party to this city and return, which will wind up the doings of the Association for this year. The members spent last evening in walking about the city, and visiting the theatres. Most of them will leave for home to-day. The following members registered their names at the Gault House: Robert N. Henderson, *Daily Enterprise*, Moberly; John W. Jacks, Mexico *Intelligencer*; W. S. Bryan, Montgomery *Standard*; Charles Whitehead, Kansas City; William Switzler, Columbus; J. C. Pew, Washington; E. Downs, Lexington *Caucasian*; D. R. Newberry, Hannibal; W. A. Anderson, Clarksville *Sentinel*; H. A. Meed, Troy *Dispatch*; Wallace Williams, Fulton *Telegraph*; W. W. Vaughn, Brownsville *Banner*; G. N. Richards, Holden *Enterprise*; E. P. Caruthers, Fredericktown *Bee*; S. B. Brady, Farmington *Argus*; W. D. Crandell, Brookfield *Gazette*; W. H. Balthis, *Brunswicker*; T. D. Begie, Keytesville *Herald*; T. P. Dobyns, Macon *Republican*; J. P. Love, Macon *Times*; Frank P. Dickinson, *Cattle Trail*, Kansas City; Milo Blair, Boonville *Eagle*; J. G. Farquhorn, Boonville *Advertiser*; Joseph H. Turner, Carrollton *Record*; W. C. B. Gillespie, Kirksville *Register*; L. D. Mott, Lexington *Register*; Laura S. Webb, *Western Sun*, St. Louis; L. J. Easton, Glasgow *German*; R. W. McMillian, Hillsboro *Democrat*; Samuel B. Rowe, Marble City *News*; O. J. Kirby, Carrollton *Journal*; H. Link, Lawrence *Journal*; R. W. Harris, Mexico *Leader*; A. Bodemyer, Centralia *Guard*; J. E. Payne, Harrisonville *Record*; J. B. Merwin, *Journal of Education*, St. Louis; W. B. Leflet, Palmyra *New Era*; O. C. Bryson, Louisiana *Press*; Thos. D. Fisher, Troy *Herald*; R. S. Emmons, Appleton *City News*; N. C. Birch, Jefferson City *State Journal*; John A. Hanney, Versailles *Gazette*; S. A. Rawlins, Shelbania *Democrat*; W. J. Powell, Rolla *Express*; W. L. Malone, Jackson *Cashmer*; C. D. Austin, Bates County *Record*.

The Obstructions Placed by the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company in the Mississippi River.

From the LaCrosse (Wis.) Democrat, May 28.

The LaCrosse *Liberal Democrat* is in receipt of intelligence from Milwaukee to the effect that Mr. Webb, United States District Attorney for the Western Wisconsin District, who resides at Grand Rapids, has received instructions from the Secretary of War to commence actions at once against the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company, to compel that Company to remove the obstruction which they have placed in the Mississippi River at the head of Minnesota Island, two miles above LaCrosse, by which they intended, it is alleged, to cause the channel to run on the Minnesota side, and leave the City of LaCrosse half a mile from navigable water.

The reports of the engineers who were sent here by the War Department, and who thoroughly examined the obstructions, have been sent to the United States District Attorney, and he will proceed at once against the Modoc corporation.

Connecticut State Capital.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 29.—In the Lower House of the Legislature the Constitutional Amendment, providing for one Capital, and that to be at Hartford, passed by 186 to 52. The amendment now goes to the people for indorsement.

UBASSY vs. BESSUNGER.

Result of the First Discount Match Between the French Expert and His Chicago Opponent.

The Latter Victorious in a Splendid Game, by a Score of 400 to 76.

No sporting event in the billiard line that can now be called to mind, not even excepting any of the memorable championship matches in which the lamented McDevitt defeated Dion, Foster, and Goldthwaite, has created any more interest in Chicago than the contest between Ubassy and Bessunger, at the Amphitheatre, on Clinton street, yesterday evening. It has been the talk of the town ever since the arrival of the Frenchman among us, because it was generally understood that the principal object he had in view when he left New Orleans was to meet in a public match the player with whom he crossed cues last night. Aside from this, Ubassy's record, and the quiet exhibitions of his wonderful skill given during the past week, were sufficient in themselves to attract general attention. No such player has ever appeared in this country, and whether he wins or loses the two remaining matches with Bessunger, or those that he may make in other cities, this will be the opinion of every intelligent man who had the pleasure of witnessing the game last evening. Ubassy is, perhaps, the most unpretending billiard player known. His manner and appearance convey no intimation of the professional billiardist, but the instant he makes a shot he reveals his marvelous skill. There is no affectation about his style. He cares nothing for the impression that a graceful attitude may create. The rapidity with which he plays and the boldness of his execution strike the beholder at once. His conception of a shot, no matter how difficult it may be, is almost instantaneous, and the moment his "bridge" hand is placed on the table the stroke is delivered. He rarely plays for safety, trusting entirely to his skill.

At 8 o'clock the Amphitheatre was packed full with the largest audience that ever assembled at a billiard match in this city. All the professional billiard players were present, and many of our best citizens could be seen among the spectators. There was but little betting at the commencement of or during the game. The odds given by Ubassy, a discount in 400 points French caroms, should have brought out more wagers on the part of Bessunger's friends. Mr. J. R. Rockefeller of New York was chosen referee. The umpires were Tom Foley for Ubassy, and George Morris for Bessunger.

About half-past 8 o'clock the players approached the table, which stood on a slightly elevated platform in the centre of the circus-ring, and banked for choice of balls and the lead. Both of these preliminary movements were won by Bessunger. He chose the white ball, and counted on a plain angle-shot. His run ceased at 4, the miss being on a single-cushion-shot. Ubassy failed to count on a draw down the side-rail, and left the balls in such a position that Bessunger made 9. Ubassy made a fine draw-shot, getting the balls together, but they froze, and had to be spotted. He missed the next shot, and Bessunger made 7, ending on a miscue draw. Ubassy followed with 2, and Bessunger again with a miss on a half masse. The Frenchman then put in a little work, showing the audience some of his peculiar draws in a run of 9. Bessunger made 2 in his fifth inning, following it with 10 in his sixth, 8 in his seventh, 2 in his eighth, and 10 again in his tenth. Ubassy all this time was playing with indifferent success, making four nice runs of 14 points in the aggregate. Bessunger's personal friends were particularly jubilant about this time. In his twelfth inning the Chicago player made a bad miss, which left the balls in a position for a masse. As this class of shots can be made by Ubassy as easy as simple caroms, it is almost unnecessary to say that he counted. He improved the leave to the extent of 37, and in the run made many of his marvelous draw-shots. Bessunger followed with a well-executed run of 23, in which he showed fine position-playing, and made several excellent shots. He followed this up in the succeeding inning with a run of 14, which was also put together in good style. In his eighteenth inning he added 16 more to his score, which made it 111 to Ubassy's 5.

Bessunger's playing at this time was remarkably rapid and daring, while nearly all of Ubassy's efforts were unlucky in the extreme. All that can be said of his shots is that they were well-conceived attempts to get the balls in position, and were remarkably close. Bessunger kept up his driving gaits to the twenty-third inning, making runs of 11, 8, and 38. His opponent, meanwhile, made several misses, and one good run of 24, principally in round-the-table play and draw shots, which seem to be his favorites. He ended by missing an easy shot. In his twenty-sixth inning he increased his small score by a run of 29, which was very finely made, and which called forth a burst of applause at the shot. Nothing worthy of note occurred until the twenty-ninth inning, when Bessunger turned his second hundred in a run of 22, which was remarkable for the rapidity of its execution, and the many fine position shots it brought out. His score now stood at 216, while Ubassy's was next to nothing. The latter seemingly could do nothing, and yet he acted as if he was perfectly satisfied with the way things were going. He betrayed no surprise at the fact that he was unable to play his customary game, but went plodding along, making a few points now and a few again, and missing all sorts of shots with a most childlike expression of countenance.

Bessunger continued to be very brave while his opponent played in this bad way. Runs of 12 and 19, and some smaller ones were added to his score from the twenty-fourth to the thirty-seventh inning. In his thirty-seventh Ubassy heaped up 19, and everybody was indulging in the hope that he would continue that sort of thing indefinitely, when an extremely difficult masse came up, and was missed by a hair. The run must have shaken Bessunger's confidence in himself, for he made but 4 in the succeeding inning. As Ubassy followed with a miss, however, John took heart again, and rolled up 10. A run of 12 by the Frenchman shook him up again, if a miss is any indication, but, as Ubassy was kind enough to follow suit, he took courage once more, and made a beautiful run of 36, which placed him on his last hundred, his score standing 304 to 9. In his forty-first inning Ubassy made 31, and followed it up with the largest run in the game up to that point, 64. This exhibition was loudly applauded, as it deserved to be, for it was one of the neatest runs, in all styles of playing, that was ever seen here. Two misses by Bessunger and one by Ubassy, and then the latter made 17, during which he was unlucky enough to freeze with the balls in a heap. Again in the forty-seventh inning he made 16, turning his first hundred for the first time, the score standing—Ubassy, 105; Bessunger, 320.

From the forty-eighth to the fifty-first inning Bessunger made but 3 points. In the same innings Ubassy made 23, counting in every inning, but missing by the closest shaves imaginable. In his fifty-second inning Bessunger virtually ended the game with a magnificent run of 75, in which he showed wonderful judgment and execution in draw and cushion shots, and fully equaled his opponent in playing for position. Nothing daunted by the terrible odds against him, Ubassy went for all that was on the table, and got 27. His customary bad luck attended him even to the end. Bessunger brought the game to a close in the fifty-fourth inning, the following being the score:

BESSUNGER.—4, 9, 7, 0, 2, 10, 8, 2, 0, 10, 1, 0, 23, 14, 2, 3, 0, 16, 1, 11, 5, 8, 0, 0, 6, 1, 7, 6, 22, 1, 4, 12, 1, 14, 0, 0, 3, 4, 10, 0, 36, 2, 0, 0, 4, 8, 2, 0, 1, 0, 0, 75, 1, 1. Total, 400. Average, 7 22-54. Largest runs, 36, 38, 75.

UBASSY.—0, 0, 2, 9, 0, 4, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 8, 34, 7, 0, 12, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 3, 24, 2, 0, 29, 4, 8, 0, 2, 3, 1, 5, 0, 10, 0, 19, 0, 12, 0, 21, 64, 0, 17, 1, 16, 3, 6, 2, 14, 27, 1. Total score, 370. Score, deducting discount, 76. Average, 6 59-73. Largest runs, 34, 38, 64.

It should be borne in mind that the match played last evening was but the first of a series of three between Ubassy and Bessunger, on each of which a stake of $500 will depend. The next comes off on Monday evening next, at the Amphitheatre, Bessunger to receive the odds of 200 points in 600 at the French game. Pools on this contest will be sold at Foley's this evening. Though defeated, Ubassy is still the king billiardist in the estimation of everybody who knows anything of the nature of the game. Had he played as well in the first part of the game last evening as he did at the close, though he did not at any time play near his standard, his score would tell a different tale. The forthcoming matches will undoubtedly call forth his full strength.

More Liverpool Steamships.

From the New Orleans Picayune, March 23.

Messrs. N. D. Spartal & Co., of Liverpool, write to Mr. L. J. Higby and Messrs. A. B. French & Co., of this city, in reference to the establishment of a new line of ocean steamships to transport the produce of the Mississippi Valley. The object is to compete permanently and successfully with the railway and water routes via New York, Boston, and Montreal, and to link the Liverpool interests and connections with the river barges on the Mississippi, Missouri, Ouachita, and Red Rivers, and the Illinois Central Railroad. This firm proposes to have steamers built of twice the dimensions of the Lord Clive, suitable for both grain and cotton carrying. They will cost from £150,000 to £200,000 apiece, but will carry 15,000 bales of cotton and a large quantity of grain.

The proposition is to call it the Atlantic and Great Western Steamship Company, connected with the river barges and cotton-presses of this city. The opinion is expressed that iron screw barges of six or seven feet draft, could be built there, and sent out here in pieces to be fitted up. It is proposed that Mr. Higby should interest himself to induce St. Louis, Chicago, and other places to join in the enterprise, especially the barge people and railways.

BOLD BANK-ROBBERY.

The Ste.-Genevieve (Mo.) Bank Entered and Robbed in Daylight—The Cashier and Others Held Prisoners Until the Gang Escapes.

From the St. Louis Democrat, May 28.

A daring and remarkable robbery was perpetrated at Ste. Genevieve, Mo., yesterday morning, the bank at that place being the victim. The town is small, and as the region is wild and thinly settled toward the south, it is not strange that it should be selected as the rendezvous of a band of desperadoes. The scoundrels have hitherto confined themselves to stealing horses or robbing strangers unfortunate enough to fall into their clutches. The headquarters of the ruffians have never been ascertained, but, as their visits to Ste. Genevieve and neighboring counties have so far been few and far between, it is safe to conclude that they came from some considerable distance. The story of yesterday's robbery may be told briefly, as follows:

During the morning, the cashier of the bank was standing on the steps of the building, conversing with the son of Gen. Bozier, when two strangers walked briskly up the steps, passing between them and entering the office. The cashier, supposing that they wished to transact some business, followed them into the room, and passing them near the middle of the counter, which he intended to step behind, was suddenly arrested by a sharp "Halt!" and turning, found a revolver almost touching his head. The ruffian who presented the weapon quickly informed him that a movement would cost him his life, and the cashier, being convinced that such was the case, prudently stood still.

In the meantime, the accomplice rushed toward young Bozier, at the same time drawing a pistol, and threatening him with instant death if he moved. The young man, seeing the intention of the scoundrels, bounded down the step and toward the more densely populated portion of the town, with the intention of giving the alarm. He had scarcely reached the ground, however, when robber No. 2 fired at him. The bullet passed under the shoulder of young Bozier's coat, plowing a furrow through the skin and flesh, but not injuring the bones. The young man felt that he was hit, but redoubled his speed, and was soon beyond pistol-shot range. Robber No. 2, finding that his intended victim had escaped, immediately rejoined his companion, and placed his pistol at the head of the colored porter, who at that moment appeared. The cashier was ordered to at once unlock the safe, and knowing that a refusal to do so would result in his immediate death, complied with the order.

The robbers then hastily seized all the money they could find, together with a tin box belonging to the Sheriff of the county, and containing $100 in gold, a number of notes, and some valuable papers. The greater portion of the money in the safe was in bills of a comparatively small denomination, and although the ruffians evidently thought they had secured a very large amount, they in reality got only about $3,500. After pocketing the money they placed the cashier between them, and locking the porter in the bank, walked towards the outskirts of the town. When they had proceeded about 250 yards they met two confederates on horseback, who led two other horses. As they neared the two horsemen, one of the lead animals took fright and broke away. One of the horsemen went in pursuit, and seeing another man on horseback approaching, drew his pistol and threatened to shoot him if he did not stop the runaway. The horseman, a German, living in the vicinity, managed to head off and secure the runaway, and the four robbers quickly got together in the road. The cashier, who had in the meantime been a close prisoner, was then ordered to leave as soon as his two captors were mounted, and finding himself at liberty, turned toward the town. An ominous click, close, caused him to jump quickly to one side in time to avoid a pistol ball, and, by lively dodging, he succeeded in escaping three more shots fired at him. One of the ruffians seemed inclined to pursue him on horseback, and kill him, but was dissuaded by his comrades, and all four started off at a hard gallop.

In the meantime young Bozier had alarmed the town, and fifteen minutes after the gang took their departure ten or a dozen mounted men, armed with double guns, loaded with buckshot, were in hot pursuit.

The cashier, who, while in the road, had also been stripped of his gold watch, chain, and a small amount of money, immediately sent word to St. Louis to consult with Chief McDonough. He met the Chief last evening, and told him the story substantially as given above.

The robbers were superbly mounted, but their horses were somewhat jaded, and as the best horses in the town were taken by the pursuers, it is altogether probable that they will be overtaken before daylight this morning. It is believed that they intended to reach Perryville and the Arkansas line, and from there get into the mountains; but if such was their intention, it is almost certain that the pursuing party will overtake them. The horses of the latter are fresh, and the men will ride all night if necessary.

Should the ruffians find it necessary to abandon their idea of reaching the mountains, and take to a steamboat or train, the pursuers will notify Chief McDonough from the first telegraph station they reach, and he will immediately make the best use of his facilities for communication with other officials. It is scarcely probable that the men will escape, and it is hoped that their capture will effectually break up the gang.

The night preceding the bank robbery, Gen. Bozier's house was entered by a gang of desperate, but clumsy, burglars, who pretty thoroughly ransacked it. The General, fortunately, was not at home, and he had taken his money with him, and the gang finding nothing portable of sufficient value to make it an object to carry away, departed in disgust. It is supposed that the burglars were the bank robbers.

Tunneling the Rockies.

From the Denver News.

A scheme is now on foot for running a tunnel through the Rocky Mountains. This may seem a prodigious enterprise at first to the casual reader, but the parties who have the matter in hand are sanguine of the most complete success. For some time past gentlemen have been investigating this matter, and they have arrived at the conclusion that the project is feasible in every particular. The idea is to tunnel the mountains from a point about one mile below Black Hawk to the Middle Park, running in a northwesterly direction. The tunnel to be run will, it is presumed, cut many rich veins of gold and silver, and thus a great mining interest be developed. Money for the prosecution of the work is furnished by English capitalists, who are sanguine of the ultimate success of the enterprise. Some idea of the magnitude of the task may be gathered from the fact that the tunnel, if completed, will be twelve miles in length. It is intended to make it large enough to be used for railway purposes, and so, if a road is ever to be constructed to the Middle Park, it will find its most convenient route through the tunnel.

It will be called the Sierra Madre Tunnel Company, and the incorporation papers for its organization have already been filed.

Shad in Lake Ontario.

From the Rochester (N.Y.) Union, May 24.

Two years since, Seth Green, in the way of experiment, placed in the Genesee River, at the Lower Falls, a quantity of shad spawn. Predictions were freely made that the attempt to stock the river and lake would be a failure. Last year persons using scoop nets in the river at Charlotte caught a number of young shad, and the event was duly noticed.

Mr. Green offered a reward of $50 for the first shad weighing three pounds caught this season in Lake Ontario or the Geneseo.

A few days ago a Mr. Parkhurst, fisherman, in drawing his seine found two shad among the other fish. He did not report the fact, considering it of no importance.

Last night some fishermen in drawing their seine between Charlotte and the Sea Breeze brought in five shad. They were delivered to Mr. Stutson, of Charlotte, and by him were brought to the city this morning. Four of them were left at Worden & Denio's Oyster Ocean, and the fifth one at Perkins & Palmer's fish market. The largest of the four at the Ocean measures eleven inches in length—the other three nine inches each.

The announcement of the catching of the shad produced considerable excitement among those interested in Pisciculture, and the venerable Seth, when he saw the shad this forenoon, felt like exulting.

We have no theories to advance on this subject, and content ourselves in announcing that shad-growing in the Geneseo and Lake Ontario is an established fact.

MYSTERIOUS.

Murder of a Servant-Girl by Unknown Parties.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 29.—The body of a young woman, who had been employed as a servant in the family of Mrs. C. H. Denizer, was found this morning in a vacant lot at the corner of Euclid avenue and Kennard street. The girl had evidently been strangled to death, as a piece of brown silk, twisted with a strip of white cotton cloth, was found tied tightly around her neck. Parties living in the neighborhood of the scene of the murder testified before the Coroner's jury, this morning, that last night about 9 o'clock they heard a scream and saw a man running from the lot where the body was found. The deceased came to this city some time ago from Cincinnati. She was called "Susie," her full name being unknown. The Coroner's jury rendered a verdict that she came to her death at the hands of some person or persons unknown.

Decision of an Important Election Question.

CONCORD, N. H., May 29.—An elaborate opinion, signed by all the Judges of the Supreme Court, was to-day sent to Gov. Straw to the effect, that, when a Town Clerk's record and return of votes for Representative in Congress is according to the Moderator's count and declaration, the Governor and Council are not authorized to require the Clerk to amend his record and correct an error in the count. This opinion of the Judges will elect Austin F. Pike, of Franklin, to Congress from the Second District.

Fatal Boiler Explosion.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

DETROIT, May 29.—The boiler of Stevens & Gridley's shingle mill, East Saginaw, exploded this morning, completely wrecking three boilers, killing C. W. Butler, the fireman, fatally wounding Robert Seymour, and seriously injuring nine others.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Financial News.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Money was easy at 7@5 per cent, closing at the latter.

Sterling ruled dull and unchanged.

Gold was firm during the morning at 118¼@118⅝, but in the afternoon at 118¼@118⅛. Loans 9@5 per cents for carrying, and flat for borrowing. Clearings, $78,000,000. Treasury disbursements, $105,000. Customs receipts, $376,000.

Governments were dull but firm.

State bonds were weak.

Stocks ruled quiet, except Pacific Mail and Union Pacific. The former was active and weak, selling from 44 to 42, closing with a slight rally. Union Pacific was also quite active at 26⅜@27⅛, closing at the opening rate, 27⅛. Western Union declined from 84⅞ to 84⅛, and rallied to 84⅝. In other shares the fluctuations were only ⅛@¼ per cent. The whole market was firmer on the final dealings, with an average improvement of ⅛.

To-morrow is a general holiday.

The steamship Hibernia took $94,000 in silver bars.

The Government sold $1,000,000 in gold at 118.40 to 118.42.

Sterling, 108¾.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Coupons, '81	122½	Coupons '67	121¾
5-20s of '62	116¾	Coupons, '68	120
Coupons, '64	116¾	10-40s	114¾
Coupons, '65	118	Currency 6s	118
Coupons, '65 (new)	119	New 5s	115¾

STATE BONDS.

Missouris	93¾	Virginias, old	43
Tennessees, old	80	North Carolinas, old	38¾
Tennessees, new	79¾	North Carolinas, new	18
Virginias, new	50		

STOCKS.

Canton	99	St Paul pfd	72¾
Western Union	84⅝	Wabash	68¾
Quicksilver	40	Wabash pfd	88
Adams Express	99¾	Fort Wayne	99¾
Wells Fargo	80	Terre Haute	18
American Express	60	Terre Haute pfd	45
United States Ex	70¾	Chicago & Alton	110¾
Pacific Mail	41¾	Chicago & Alton pfd	111
New York Central	100¾	Ohio & Mississippi	40¾
Erie	43¾	C., C. & C	88¾
Erie pfd	73¾	C., R. I. & P	109
Harlem	130	Lake Shore	90¾
Harlem pfd	131	Indiana Central	20
Michigan Central	103	Illinois Central	113
Pittsburgh	97¾	Union Pacific stocks	27¼
Northwestern	75	Union Pacific bonds	86¾
Northwestern pfd	84¾	Central Pacific bonds	108¾
Rock Island	106¾	C., C. & Western	104¾
N. J. Central	105¾	Hartford & Erie	9¾
St. Paul	54¾		

Foreign Markets.

LIVERPOOL, May 29—11 a. m.—Flour, 27s 6d. Wheat, 9d. 2 spring, 10s 2d; white, 10s 9d@11s; 12s 2d; club, 12s 5d. Corn, 27s 6d. Pork, 65s. Lard, 39s 6d.

LONDON, May 29—5 p. m.—Consols, money, 93¾; account, 93¾; 5-20s of '65, 91¾; do of '67, 94¾; 10-40s, 89¾; new 5s, 89¾; Erie, 40¾.

Bullion in the Bank of England has increased £129,000.

PARIS, May 29.—Rentes, 57f 5c.

LIVERPOOL, May 29.—Cotton unchanged; middling upland, 8⅜; Orleans, 9¼@9⅛d; sales, 12,000 bales; American, 7,000 bales; speculation and export, 2,000 bales.

Breadstuffs quiet and unchanged.

New York Live-Stock Market.

NEW YORK, May 29.—BEEVES—To-day, receipts, 146 cars, or 2,340 head, making 2,840 since Monday, against 2,790 the same time last week. Quality fair. The market opened firm, but with a downward tendency. At least 25 car-loads remain unsold. The best native steers brought 12¼@12¾c; ordinary to good, 11@12c; common to fair Texans, 9@10c. Sales included 10 cars, 1,400 lbs, at 12¾c; 7 cars, 1,400 lbs, at 12¾c; 6¾@6¾ cwt, 11¼@11½c; 7 cars, 1,400 lbs, at 12¾c; 7 cars, 6¼@6¾ cwt, 11¼@11½c; 7 cars, 6¾@6¾ cwt, 11¼@12¼c; 6 cars, 6¾ cwt, 11¼@11½c; 3 cars, 6¾ cwt, 11¾c, with $1.00 per head premium; 7 cars, 8 cwt, 12c; 2 cars, 7 cwt, 11¼@12c; 11 cars, before 6, daylight this morning, 11¾@12c. The demand for dressed beef is light, and sales slow, at 7½@9c for Texan, and 9¼@10¾c for natives.

CALVES—Receipts since Monday, 2,200. The market closes easier, with a slight decline. Veal calves, 6¼@10c, including 380 Western at 8@8½c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts to-day, 14 cars, or 2,831 head, making 5,180 since Monday, against 5,860 the same time last week. The market was weak and slow for sheared at 5¼@6¾c, but fair for spring lambs at 10¼@14c. Four cars Texas sheep, received since Monday, sold on the leg at $2.50@3.25 per head. Sales included 1 car spring lambs, 58 lbs, at 14c; 1 car, av 60 lbs, 13½c; 1 car, av 53 lbs, at 12¾c; 1 car, av 47 lbs, at 12½c; also 1 car Ohio sheep, av 88 lbs, at 6c; 1 car, av 89 lbs, at 6¼c; and 1 car, av 88 lbs, at 6½c.

SWINE—Receipts, 5,700, making 13,700 since Monday, against 17,660 the same time last week. Slaughterers had enough hogs by dire

MONEY AND COMMERCE.

MONETARY.

THURSDAY EVENING, May 29.

Money seems to be growing easier in the local market, and borrowers who have not already had [illegible] can now [illegible] bank have no difficulty. In the open market, [illegible] is ready to [illegible] on call, [illegible] at 10 per cent, and [illegible] of the [illegible] seem to be willing to [illegible] at 8 per cent. [illegible] New York exchange is [illegible] at par to 1/4 per cent premium for sales between banks.

The movement of currency in [illegible] continues [illegible] [illegible] equal to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

JUBILEE NOTES.

The Coliseum Ready---The Indications of a Rush from Abroad.

Ovation Day---The Park Boards Take Action for Friday, June 6---The Carriage Committee.

The work of turning a great depot into a coliseum will be completed to-day, and good judges declare that its acoustic effect will be perfect. The great platforms will hold nearly 2,000 orchestra and chorus.

The indications are pouring in that the people are to come in by thousands, induced by half-fare rates to all stations in this and adjoining States. Tickets were purchased for the Jubilee Ball yesterday for a large party from Southern Ohio.

OVATION DAY.

Friday, June 6, when the school-children of the city have the Coliseum given up to them, seems to be accepted as a general ovation day. The display of the strength and beauty of Chicago will be in charge of the Park Boards, who have entered into the work with a will. At the meeting held at the Gardner House last week the three Park Presidents were chosen a Special Committee of Arrangements, and these gentlemen have now completed their programme. At their meeting yesterday they appointed the following named gentlemen to act with them as a

CARRIAGE COMMITTEE.

W. F. Coolbaugh,	S. S. Hayes,
Thomas Hoyne,	S. J. Walker,
William Reese,	H. H. Honore,
J. Y. Scammon,	Thomas B. Bryan,
C. H. McCormick,	Hon. N. S. Judd,
Robert Harris,	A. H. Burley,
H. H. Porter,	J. McGregor Adams,
Wm. F. Tucker,	T. B. Blackstone,
Dr. B. McVicker,	E. W. Blatchford,
Charles L. Wilson,	Henry Greenebaum,
A. C. Hesing,	C. T. Bowen,
J. W. Warrack,	G. W. Stanford.
B. F. Culver,	

This Committee will accompany and be in charge of the grand carriage escort, on Friday morning, to visit Lincoln Park, and thence to the train of ten cars which will sweep around the city on the belt railroad from Kinzie street to the Grand Central Depot on the lake shore, stopping at McCormick's great reaper works, on the South Branch, at noon, for a collation. Saturday will be given up to the steamboat excursion to South Chicago.

—Twenty-two years ago one Fletcher filched from Cox, a London bargeman, his wife. Cox came into court at this late day, demanding damages of the said Fletcher, who, tendering one shilling in money current of the realm, claims that is full satisfaction for the wrong he acknowledges of harboring the said wife. A jury of his peers coincide in Fletcher's estimate; so it goes upon the record that twelve pence is the legal value of that wife. But that precedent will not fix the worth of spouse in general, which may be more or less.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

AT MAN THAT WOULD HAVE HIS HORSES sold quickly at their real values will please bring them in, as the demand is lively for all descriptions, at 361 State, cor. Polk; also, of horses, buggies, and harness. BRADLEY & WILLIS.

A TROTTER, A TRAINED SADDLE MARE, A good business mare, a gentle, matched pair of ponies. CLIFFENDEN, rear of 1 State, cor. Polk.

BUY NEW YORK CHOICE SMITH, TOUGH, perfect second-hand light top buggy this day only, for $116 then to DANBY W. EMMONS, 100 and 102 West Lake-st.

FOR SALE—WAGONS OF ALL KINDS, ALSO ONE second-hand Concord-top buggy, one 2-sacht box-buggy, cheap, at 261 South Canal-st.

FOR SALE—A GOOD BOX WAGON WITH FOUR 2-inch shelves, suitable for peddling notions; also horse and harness. Apply at 308 Hubbard-ct.

FOR SALE—TWO DOUBLE TEAMS WITH WAGons and harness; teams are now working for $4 per day; will trade for property to pay difference. M. HAYES, P. O. B. 2, 5, or 641 Buffalo-st.

FOR SALE—THE BEST SADDLE PONY IN THE city, cheap for cash. 662 West Indiana-st.

FOR SALE—A STYLISH LIGHT BAY TEAM; OR will hold exchange for a young horse that is the true mate of it matched. Address Z 31, Tribune office.

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR ROAD-WAGON—Top buggy, horse, and harness; horse can speed in 2:45; is a fine saddle horse. At GRIFFENDEN'S rear of 1061 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL GOOD SECOND-HAND open and top buggies at HAYDE & O'BRIEN'S, 781 State-st.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—DUMP-CARTS, AND HARness to match; team harness, wagon harness, draw harness, and all kinds of harness, at Government Goods Depot, 197 East Lake-st.

FOR SALE—DUMP-CARTS, AND HARNESS TO match, at Government Goods Depot, 196 and 197 East Lake-st.

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H. B. HILL, 21 AND 29 SOUTH CLINTON-ST., has a great variety of fine carriages and buggies, and sells them at reasonable prices.

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Wabash-av.—175 feet, corner Fifty-fourth-st.; $60.
State-st.—No. 2362, near Twenty-eighth-st.; $6,500.
Prairie-av., No. 1606, near Thirty-second-st.; $6,000.
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FOR SALE—CHEAP LOTS FOR HOMES OR INvestment, on Halsted, Murray, Union, Desplaines, and Wallace-sts. Also, a beautiful corner lot, 66x165, from Pavilion Parkway, easily accessible from the city by rail, but a short walk from the Stock-Yards. These lots are located where they will quickly increase in value, and are offered at prices so low and on terms so favorable that the interest will be no excuse in not investing. Price, $375 to $500, on five years' time, or in small monthly payments. Printed abstracts furnished. Apply to P. H. PUTNAM, Transit House, Stock-Yards, or POTWIN & COREY, 119 Franklin-st.

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Harrison-st., $600, easy terms.
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FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, LOTS ON WESTERN-av., Polk and Taylor-sts., and Campbell-av.; parties wishing to build, or to speculate, should call on GEORGE CADWELL, on premises, or 125 South Clark-st., in bank.

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FOR SALE—LOTS ON ARNOLD-ST., EAST FRONT, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth-sts., at $600 each. J. H. KEELER, 146 Clark-st., corner Madison.

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FOR SALE—UNION PARK PLACE, NEAR WASHington-st., 8 story and basement, marble front house, 10 rooms; lot 22x110. SNYDER & LEE, 14 Nixon Building, northeast corner Monroe and LaSalle-sts.

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FOR SALE—SOUTH SIDE RESIDENCE LOTS—On South Park boulevard, 50 feet, east front, between Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth-sts.
Ellis-av., 50x150 feet, very choice lot, near Thirty-seventh-st.
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To a party wishing to build, will be sold without cash payment.
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FOR SALE—ON ONTARIO-ST., NEAR PINE-ST., 3x 40, or 80 feet, very desirable, and for sale at a bargain. Will take cash or long time payment. C. C. THAYER & CO., 186 East Madison-st.

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FOR SALE—COAL LAND AT BRAIDWOOD; 80 acres in Section 11, in Grundy County, in center of great coal field, now being worked. Address MIDDLEtON, P. O. Box 1866, New York.

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REAL ESTATE WANTED.

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Lots at Auburn.
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20 acres near Normal Park, cheap for $20,000 house.
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WASHINGTON.

Senator Cameron Has Another Interview with the President.

Ex-Gov. Jewell, of Connecticut, Accepts the Russian Mission.

A Hitch in the Manufacture and Supply of Postal-Cards.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

THE VENERABLE CAMERON.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—Gen. Cameron arrived here this morning from Harrisburg in company with President Grant. He spent several hours at the Executive Mansion, and there has been much curiosity to ascertain the object of his visit. Experience shows that Cameron seldom comes here unless there is something to be accomplished. From a prominent Pennsylvania citizen who accompanied Cameron, and who, during his visit here, became rather communicative, it is ascertained that the venerable Senator is after the scalp of the present Collector of the Port of Philadelphia, Mr. Seth Comly. There is nothing particular against Comly. He is not charged with being a defaulter, nor is there any complaint that he has neglected to collect the revenue. The Secretary of the Treasury, so far as is known, is perfectly satisfied with his administration. The minor politicians of Philadelphia have not signed any petition for his removal, because he refused to satisfy their demands. Indeed none of the ordinary pretexts usually put forward for the removal of an official whose place is wanted seem to exist in Comly's case. There are some charges to the effect that the Collector has refused to remove efficient subordinates who are personally obnoxious to Gen. Cameron and his Philadelphia friends, but under the Civil-Service regime, it was supposed these would have no affect, either at the White House or the Treasury Department. It is known, however, that Gen. Cameron has never regarded the Civil-Service policy as either wise or expedient. This is perhaps the only point upon which he differs from the President. In public as well as in private, Cameron has said he does not express his contempt for the whole system, and he has even gone so far as to intimate that it was a humbug. The Senator's demand for the removal of Comly does not arise so much from any personal dislike to that gentleman, as from a desire to relieve Mr. Russell Errett, Chairman of the State Central Committee. Mr. Errett is Gen. Cameron's candidate for Collector of the Port of Philadelphia. He is a gentleman who, Gen. Cameron says, has claims upon the Administration. It is insinuated that Gen. Comly was not as active as he should have been in the political campaign last fall. Whether Gen. Cameron will be able to accomplish his purpose is not known. There are those who say that the recent visit of the President to Harrisburg has something to do with this matter, and that the whole thing was planned by Cameron.

NAVAL DIPLOMAS.

On Saturday next the diplomas to the graduates of the Naval Academy at Annapolis will be delivered by the midshipman by Secretary Robeson. The Japanese student, Matz Muller, graduates this year, and is well up in the front of his class, but will only receive a certificate of graduation. The colored cadet, Conyes, stands low in his class, but not far enough down "to flank." He will, however, remain in the same class next year as he now is. The Japanese prince, Asano, is also a class mate, while Conyes, passes upward to another. Next year, the graduates will be detached from the Academy, and ordered to their homes. The second will have leaves granted them, and the first and second classes will go on the regular annual cruise.

ARCHITECTURAL.

J. R. Hamilton, an experienced architect of New York, formerly of Cincinnati, has been appointed Superintendent of Repairs on public buildings, in connection with the office of Supervising Architect of the Treasury.

DETROIT RIVER BRIDGE.

Upon a request from the Secretary of War, the Treasury Department is preparing a statement of all the vessels clearing from the ports on the lakes above Lake Erie or Lake Michigan, to a point at or beyond Detroit, with the tonnage of each, for 1871 and 1872, for the information of the Board of Army Engineers, constituted by special order of the War Department, in accordance with a recent act of Congress, to inquire into and report upon the practicability of bridging, consistently with the interest of navigation, the channel between Lake Huron and Lake Erie.

[To the Associated Press.]

APPOINTMENTS.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The President to-day appointed Frank D. Hesterick Superintendent of the Mint at Carson City, and Darius Sullivan Postmaster at Clinton, Missouri.

RESPITED.

The President to-day respited Tom Wright until Friday, the 6th of June, when he will be hanged for the murder of Rogerski.

THE RUSSIAN MISSION.

The President was to-day informed by ex-Gov. Jewell of his acceptance of the appointment of Minister to Russia.

REVENUE CUTTER.

The steamer Perry has been placed in commission for duty on Lake Erie.

POSTAL CARDS.

The Post-Office Department to-day suspended the printing of postal cards for the reason that the card-board submitted was not equal to the contract requirements. The defects of and delay in the issue of postal cards are entirely the fault of the contractors, who had not provided facilities for their manufacture.

THE DEBT REDUCTION.

The present opinion at the Treasury Department is, that the reduction of the public debt for May will be small, owing to the large expenditures.

Telegraphic Brevities.

The tariff of tolls at the Sault Canal has been reduced from 4½ to 3½ cents per ton.

A small boy, named Steepler, was drowned at Galena, Ill., yesterday afternoon, while in swimming.

A man named Webster was sawed to pieces in a saw-mill in Warrick County, Indiana, on Wednesday, near Newburg.

Veatch, stabbed by Farrell at the Jeffersonville (Ind.) State Prison on Tuesday, is lying in a very precarious condition.

John Hickman, ex-member of Congress, is dangerously ill at Westchester, Pa., with but little hope of his recovery.

Sixty-two feet of the Everett Hotel property in St. Louis was sold yesterday at auction to Louis A. Labeaunse for $77,100.

The Government sale of ordnance at the Mound City Navy Yard yesterday was very successful. Many bidders were present.

Yesterday afternoon Christian Zimmerman had his arm torn to pieces by a circular saw in the Richmond, Ind., furniture manufactory.

The necessary papers have been signed and orders issued leasing the Missouri State Penitentiary to Messrs. Perry, Young & Willis for ten years.

By the fall of a scaffold at the new Quartermaster's depot in Detroit yesterday, Francis Grieke fell seventy feet to the ground, and was fatally injured.

The 26th anniversary of the birth of Tom Moore, the great Irish poet, was celebrated in St. Louis on Wednesday night with a grand entertainment in the Merchants' Library Hall.

The New York *Tribune* advises that $15,000 or $20,000 be collected in this city to assist in placing beyond a possibility of want the widow of Gen. Canby, who died penniless.

Cynthia Gray, of Evansville, Indiana, a colored woman 25 years of age, was convicted of infanticide for killing her child, a week old, in the early part of May. She goes to prison for fourteen years.

A San Francisco Chinaman, unknown, was murdered by two white men on Clay street on Wednesday night. Two men, James Brannan and Rhodes, have been arrested on suspicion of being the murderers.

An investigation shows that the late Henry Barnes, of Detroit, the former Pension Agent, who died some two years ago, was a defaulter to the amount of $21,000. His bondsmen have paid the amount in full.

On Wednesday evening, near Paris, Ind., Charles Weil and Joseph Bengerine attacked Samuel Cook and crushed his skull with a boulder. A physician was called in and pronounced the wound fatal.

Our Madison, Wis., special says that the weather is much colder than for the last week, and there are fears of a frost, if it clears, which would be very destructive to the fruit blossoms. Vegetation is hindered from rapid growth.

A little boy named Fred Kroney was drowned in the Des Moines River, in Des Moines, yesterday. W. H. Corkhill, of Mount Pleasant, who was passing by, plunged in and was bringing the boy to shore, but growing exhausted came near drowning himself, and was rescued by others.

Late on Wednesday evening, a fight occurred near Providence, Clark County, Ind., between Martin Mack and John Stone, when Mack's son seized a club and struck Stone on the head, fracturing the skull. Stone is not expected to live.

The new Board of State Canal Commissioners will continue to have their headquarters at Lockport, and will retain Mr. Thomas, the present Superintendent, and Mr. Milne, the present Secretary, and other appointees of the old Board.

The trial of Billy Harrison, charged with the murder of a man named Swobado, in Cairo, last year, is progressing now in the Circuit Court of Pulaski County, at Mound City. It promises to be one of the most interesting held in Egypt for years.

An unfortunate young woman of Aurora, named Holland, gave birth to a child on Wednesday morning, which soon afterward died. A Coroner's jury revealed the fact that the infant came to its death by strangulation at the hands of its mother.

At Dayton, Ohio, yesterday, the infant son of James Boasler, while playing in the street, was run over by a dray, the wheel passing over its head, crushing out the brains and killing it instantly. The Coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death, acquitting the drayman of all blame.

Some eight Sophomores of the Wisconsin State University, suspended a few weeks ago for cutting recitation, and refusing an apology, have been received back on professions of regret and promises of conformity to the rules of the institution, and everything is peace and harmony at the institution where was discord and demoralization.

In the Dubuque District Court, on Wednesday, in the case of H. B. Richards against the City of Dubuque, Judge Wilson gave a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, which is of great importance to the citizens generally, denying, as it does, the right of the city to increase the valuation and taxation of property because of improvements made after the valuation by the Assessor in January, as the law directs.

FOREIGN.

CANADA.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

TORONTO, May 29.—The decision of the Ottawa Government, just before the close of the House, to give a public funeral to the remains of Sir George Etienne Cartier, and to erect a monument to his memory at the public expense, which was sustained by a vote of 40 to 25, or by one-fifth of the entire House, meets with great opposition in every part of the Dominion, both the French and English papers opposing, on the ground that he formed one of a government charged with serious breach of trust—no less a crime—in connection with the Pacific Railway matter, and to render this tribute would be inconsistent with a charge shortly to be investigated.

The representative of the Great Eastern Circus made a charge of libel against the agent of Barnum's Circus. The latter was arrested, and the case has been before the Court for two or three days. The latter admits the publication of the matter complained of, and claims the published assertions can be established as true. He was released on $2,000 bail, and the case adjourned till October.

The *Globe* returns to its advocacy of a railroad from Sault St. Marie to Fort William or Thunder Bay, and thence to Fort Garry, to counteract flow of immigration and trade via Duluth to the Northwest.

Chatham has experienced another fire, which destroyed two hotels, a church, and other buildings. Loss about $16,000.

The large trestle-work bridge on the Great Western Railroad, near Oakville, on the Toronto branch, was to-day destroyed by fire.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, May 29.—There were numerous accidents at the Derby race yesterday, caused by the running away of horses, the falling of stands, and the pressure of the crowd. Three persons were killed and several severely injured.

The manufacturers of Wolverhampton are importing iron from the United States in consequence of the exorbitant rates at which the native production is held.

At the annual dinner last evening, of the Royal Literary Fund, over which Mr. Gladstone presided, the Lord Bishop of Derry and Raphoe proposed "The Literature of the United States." The sentiment was warmly received, and Mr. J. Hathrop Motley, who was one of the guests, eloquently replied. He laid great stress upon the international bond between England and the United States, and said he regarded the literary men of both countries as fellow-citizens of a great English-speaking Republic.

SPAIN.

MADRID, May 29.—Disturbances occurred a few days ago on board the Spanish frigates Victoria, and Almanza, and the leaders being arrested, order was restored.

In compliance with the request of Mr. Sickles, the Government has ordered the Captain-General of Cuba to give effect to the pardons of the American citizens, Santa Rosa, Cliker, and Lever.

LONDON, May 29.—Charles Bradlaugh, your Special Commissioner to Spain, returning from Madrid, has been seized by the Carlists. His life is in great peril.

ITALY.

MILAN, May 29.—The funeral of Count Manzoni took place here to-day. The city was draped in mourning in respect to the memory of the distinguished poet and novelist. Prince Humbert, heir-apparent to the Italian throne, and the Duke of Aosta, ex-King of Spain, were among the pall-bearers. Fully 100,000 persons gathered in the streets to witness the funeral procession.

THE LABOR QUESTION.

The Massachusetts Reformers to Put a Labor Ticket in the Field—Other Labor Items.

BOSTON, May 29.—At the Labor Reformers' Convention, in session here to-day, it was voted that a convention of the Labor Reform party be held at Worcester, Aug. 3, 1873, to nominate a complete State ticket, and candidates for the Senate of Massachusetts from the different districts.

President Jones made a few remarks, characterizing the two parties at present in the country as the party of the past and the party of spoils. The Labor party was the salvation of the workingmen, and would succeed if its members were true. The Convention was rather thinly attended.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 29.—The United States Writing-Paper Makers' Association met in this city to-day, and adjourned for four weeks, without deciding as to extending the time for half production. The half-production time expires June 1, and the mills will then go upon full time until the adjourned meeting takes place.

The Iowa Doctors.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA, May 29.—At the session last evening, Dr. J. J. M. Angear read a report upon expectant treatment in disease. Dr. J. P. Gruwell read a report upon the influence of the motions in disease.

This morning Dr. Cleaver presented a report upon the medical history of Lee County during the past year. Dr. French also read a report from Scott County. Dr. Watson reported upon epidemic spinal-meningitis in Dubuque County. Drs. Failor and Williamson reported successful cases of ovariotomy. At 11 o'clock the Society proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year, with the following result:

President—Dr. W. P. Robertson.
First Vice-President—Dr. William Cornes.
Second Vice-President—Dr. John Bower.
Secretary—Dr. S. B. Thrall.
Assistant Secretary—J. F. Kennedy.
Treasurer—L. W. Gustine.
Trustees—Drs. Angear, Hazen, House, Thompson, Seville, and Smith.
Committee of Arrangements—Drs. Peck, Watson, Keller, Field, and Kennedy.
Publishing Committee—Drs. Hughes, Farnsworth, and Cardhart.
Committee on Ethics—Drs. Williamson, Belding, Cleaver, Graham, and Baker.

In the afternoon session, the following papers were presented: Dr. Centiss, on "Members of Labor;" Dr. Pierce, report of a case of ulcer of the stomach; Dr. Cross, report of a gunshot wound of the skull; Dr. McClure, cases of dislocation of the hip. After the adoption of the report on finance, a vote of thanks was tendered the Presbyterian Church, the citizens, and the Central Iowa Railroad. Dr. Carter reported a case of catarrh and gangrene, and Dr. Sears an anomalous case. President Robertson took the chair. Thanks were voted the retiring officers, and the Convention adjourned.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 29.—The State Eclectic Medical Convention was held here to-day. The business consisted of discussions on professional subjects. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, A. G. Sherwood, Marshalltown; Vice-President, J. G. Howell, Pella; Recording Secretary, O. P. Shemaker, Avoca; Corresponding Secretary, E. H. Carter, Des Moines. The Convention ened to-night, with an address by Prof. Dunca, and a lecture by the Rev. A. L. Frisbie.

REMARKABLE DOCUMENT.

A Chapter in the History of the Beecher-Tilton Case.

Covenant of Christian Fellowship Between the Two and Henry C. Bowen.

Why This Tripartite Contract is Made Public.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The following has been given for publication by a well-known gentleman, who says that he does it without Mr. Beecher's knowledge:

We three men, earnestly desiring to restore each to the other the respect, love, and fraternity in which we once lived happily together, in our social life in Brooklyn, and as members of the Plymouth Church, and earnestly desiring to remove all causes of offense existing, both real and fancied; to make Christian reparation for injuries done or supposed to be done, and to effect the disturbed past, and to provide concord, good will, and love for the future, do declare and covenant each to the other as follows:

First—I, Henry C. Bowen, having given credit, perhaps without due consideration, to tales and innuendoes respecting Henry Ward Beecher, and being influenced by them, as was natural to a man who receives impressions suddenly to the extent of repeating them,—guardedly, however, and within limitations, and not for the purpose of injuring him, but strictly in the confidence of consultation, now feel that therein I did him wrong. Therefore, I disavow all the charges and imputations that have been attributed to me as having been by me made against H. W. Beecher, and I declare fully and without reserve that I know nothing which should prevent me from extending to him my most cordial friendship and Christian fellowship, and I expressly withdraw all the charges, imputations, and innuendoes imputed as having been uttered by me, and set forth in a letter written to me by Theodore Tilton, on the 1st day of January, 1871, a copy of which letter is hereto annexed, and I sincerely regret having made any imputations, charges, or innuendoes unfavorable to the Christian character of Mr. Beecher, and I covenant and promise that, for all future time, I will never, by word or deed, recur to, repeat, or allude to any or either of said charges, imputations, or innuendoes.

Second—And I, Theodore Tilton, do of my free will and friendly spirit toward Henry C. Bowen and Henry Ward Beecher, covenant and promise that I will never again repeat by word of mouth or otherwise any of the allegations or imputations or innuendoes contained in my letter hereunto annexed, or any other injurious imputations or allegations suggested by or growing out of these, and that I will never again bring up or hint at any cause or difference or ground of complaint heretofore existing between the said Henry C. Bowen and myself or the said Henry Ward Beecher.

Third—I, Henry Ward Beecher, put the past forever out of sight and out of memory. I deeply regret the causes for suspicion, jealousy, and estrangement which have come between us. It is a joy to me to have my old regard for Henry C. Bowen and Theodore Tilton restored, and a happiness to me to resume the old relations of friendship, and I shall do much and both of them. If I have said anything injurious to the reputation of either or have detracted from their standing and fame as Christian gentlemen and members of my church, I revoke it all, and hereby covenant to repair and reinstate them to the extent of my power. (Signed)

H. C. BOWEN,
THEODORE TILTON,
H. W. BEECHER.

BROOKLYN, April 2, 1873.

Then follows the letter of Tilton to Bowen, published some time ago. The gentleman who furnishes the above says he has had it in his possession a long time, and only makes it public now because Mr. Bowen has recently reiterated his slanders against the pastor of Plymouth Church.

RELIGIOUS.

Closing-Day of the Illinois State Sabbath-School Association.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 29.—This, the closing day of the Sabbath-school Convention, has been one of continued interest and enjoyment. Rare, indeed, in the history of the Association, has such propitious weather been vouchsafed. Throughout it has been as lovely as could be desired. Crowded sessions in Springfield's largest church have characterized the proceedings. This morning the discussions took a wider range, and were, therefore, more generally interesting. The first question referred to teaching the lesson in the family, and urged that there the foundation should be laid. R. H. Griffith, of Bushville, earnestly defended giving the Bible the preference, using all lesson-papers and other helps within reach, and then being as independent of them as possible in the class. The somewhat disparaging allusions to helps elicited from the Rev. J. H. Vincent, of New York, a spirited defense of all available assistance. For half hour or more the Rev. Doctor was questioned by the delegates, and gave prompt replies, full of practical instruction and defense of the joint use of the pulpit and the school in conveying truths to the youthful mind.

In the afternoon after the Convention had accepted the invitation to meet in Champaign next year, the question of normal classes and home institutes was introduced by the Rev. J. H. Vincent, whose excellent suggestions of what the teacher should be commanded earnest attention. A general discussion ensued upon the practicability of normal classes in rural districts. A delegate demanded an expression of opinion as to whether the use of so many such helps as lesson papers had decreased the interest in teachers' meetings. The unanimous opinion was that the more light reflected upon the subject, the greater had been the interest. The Convention then divided into sections, according to districts, and were met by the respective members of the Executive Committee. The first district, embracing Cook and sixteen other northwestern counties, agreed to hold a district convention at Rockford next October. It is to be a delegate convention, and each school, however small, is to be entitled to send a delegate. During these interesting exercises, the last Black spot was removed from the Sunday School map of Illinois by a sincere pledge being given that Ford County should be fully organized within sixty days. Now the whole 102 counties of Illinois are fully organized, a more glorious report than any other State in the Union can make, and entitling her to rank as the "Banner State" in the Sunday School cause. This gratifying fact gave rise to an expression of gratitude to God when the Convention reassembled, which culminated in the united singing of the "long metre" doxology, and an earnest and grateful prayer by the Hon. J. F. Culver, President of the Convention.

Messrs. Beardsley, Bernard, and Tuley, of Champaign, were appointed an Auditing Committee for the ensuing year. By a rising unanimous vote the thanks of the Convention were given to the citizens of Springfield for their unbounded hospitality, which has indeed been unsurpassed. A similar expression was given in favor of the quartette choir from Chicago, comprised of Messrs. Stebbins, Bunker, Dorn, and Clark. It is only just to say that no previous Convention has been favored with singing that has so charmed and elevated the auditors as the music rendered by the Chicago quartette.

Double rows of chairs were placed in the aisles of the church to accommodate the vast assembly that went to participate in the closing exercises of the Convention. Short addresses were the order. The speeches were limited to five minutes each, and all of them were interesting, particularly those of Dr. C. R. Blackall, of Chicago; R. A. Burrell, Aurora; T. S. Ridgway and J. McKeepples, of Shawneetown; A double portion of time was allowed the Rev. J. H. Vincent, of New York, who entertained the audience with an admirable address, illustrating the successful methods of teaching. The venerable Stephen Paxon, who has organized more Sunday-schools in Illinois than any other member, spoke effectively. The closing address was delivered by B. F. Jacobs, of Chicago. The Chicago choir sang "Calling us Away" with such effect that another hymn was called for, and, although the hour was late, only a person in the vast assembly left the room until another hymn had been sung and the President had pronounced the Fifteenth State Sunday-School Convention of Illinois adjourned. As one of the leading delegates exclaimed, "The Convention adjourned in glory," for never did a better feeling pervade any Christian gathering than has characterized the one that has now passed into history.

Thirteenth Congregational Anniversary.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

ELGIN, Ill., May 29.—The General Association was organized this morning by electing the Rev. L. Taylor, of Farmington, as Moderator, and the Rev. K. B. Guild as Secretary. Over 200 representatives were present. The hour from 9 to 10 o'clock was spent in devotion, led by the Rev. M. L. Williston, of Galesburg,—the music being led by Prof. P. P. Bliss, of Chicago. Prominent in the affectionate thought of the meeting was the memory of the Rev. N. C. Clark, of Elgin, who, after forty years of service in the Fox River Valley, had during the year passed away.

The various benevolent societies reported their collections within the year in Illinois. Secretary S. J. Humphrey reported $11,162.82 for the American Board and legacies to the amount of $12,517. Secretary Howard reported for the American Missionary Association $8,263.04. Secretary Roy reported for the American Home Missionary Society $9,709.72. The Rev. D. F. Bascom reported for the Fund in Aid of the Families of Deceased or Disabled Ministers, $420.38. The Rev. M. E. Whittlesey, Treasurer of the Association, reported expenses, $663.32.

The Rev. W. H. Brewster, of the Committee to visit Wheaton College, reported on the encouraging condition of things there, and President Blanchard added a word as to the class to graduate this summer. The class embraces nine young gentlemen and three young ladies. The place of next meeting was fixed at Kewanee.

Prof. Emerson gave an account of the condition and prosperity of the college at Beloit, and the Association cordially voted an indorsement of the institution. The Rev. C. Caverno read a very interesting and progressive essay upon the "Relation of Religion to Scientific Thought." A very exciting debate followed on an invitation of the order of the Grand Army for the Association to join in a body in the ceremony of decorating the graves of the soldiers on the morrow. Dr. Blanchard made some pertinent remarks on the inconsistency of the Church of Christ joining in countenancing an organization of the kind. It brought on sharp rejoinders. A committee was appointed to represent the body in paying respect to the memory of the soldiers.

The proceedings of the evening session were devoted to the report of home missionary appointments. An independent Home Missionary Society was organized during the past year. This was its first anniversary. The Rev. Rowe, Secretary of the State Society, made an interesting report. There are 248 Congregational churches in the State. The amount raised for missionary work was about $9,400, and the amount expended about $8,500. There has been an increase of contributions for missionary funds from $6,000, two years ago, to $8,000 last, and $10,000 this year. This has not been equal to expectation, and the reason has been a general scarcity of money. A favorable account was given of a series of fellowship meetings in the Association. A general report of missionary and church work was read by the Rev. Whittlesey, the Superintendent of the Southern Division, embracing much useful statistical information; also, by the Rev. Roy, Superintendent of the Northern District. He spoke, also, of his connection with missionary work in the Western Territories. A spirited discussion was had upon the resolution concerning the report of the Secretary to raise the missionary work $1 per head on membership in all the churches, participated in by Col. Hammond, the Revs. Sturtevant, Barnes, Longley, Bacomb, West, Col. Howard, and others. The great speech of the evening on the subject was by Dr. Storrs, Secretary of the National Home Missionary Society.

Congregational Publishing Society.

BOSTON, May 29.—At the annual meeting of the Congregational Publishing Society to-day the Treasurer's report was read, showing the cash receipts to have been $112,229; cash balance on hand May 1, $6,975. The Society has received for newly schools, $12,223, and given away $12,836, in 850 towns and localities all over the country, and a few in foreign countries. The financial report of the American Education Society shows the receipts to have been $33,879, which, with a balance of $4,401 at the beginning of the year, has made the total available means $37,781. There has been expended $31,686. Three hundred and sixty-five young men have been assisted in thirty-six colleges and theological schools.

United Brethren Conference.

DAYTON, O., May 29.—The Conference, after spending an agreeable and pleasant afternoon at the Soldiers' Home, returned at 6 o'clock, and, at half-past 7, reassembled for the night session, Bishop Dickson presiding. The evening session was devoted mainly to remarks upon the business transacted by this session, returning thanks, etc. The Committee which was appointed for the purpose of stationing the Bishops, submitted their report. It places each Bishop in a new field in the following order: East District, D. Edwards, D.D.; Ohio District, the Rev. J. Weaver; East Missisippi District, the Rev. J. Dickson; West Mississippi District, the Rev. J.J. Glossbrenner. The Conference then decided to hold their next General Conference at Westfield, Ill., to begin on the second Thursday in May, 1877. Bishop Glossbrenner pronounced the benediction, and at 10:30 adjourned sine die.

Virginia Baptists.

RICHMOND, Va., May 29.—The Baptist General Association of Virginia met to-day in the temporary tabernacle. About 10,000 people, composed of delegates, visitors, and citizens, were present. Many could not gain admittance. The proceedings were opened with prayer by the Rev. James Fife, the only survivor of the originators of the Association fifty years ago. After the completion of organization the Rev. Dr. Curry, President, made an able address. The Rev. Dr. Burrows, from the Committee on the Memorial Fund reported about $220,000 collected, of which $200,000 had been contributed in Virginia; $80,000 have yet to be raised to complete the Memorial Fund. Over $17,000 were subscribed on the spot.

United Presbyterian Assembly.

PHILADELPHIA, May 29.—The Assembly met this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The report of the Board of Education was presented. Aid has been given to forty-six young men, who are under the care of twenty different Presbyteries. A memorial from the Presbytery, asking the establishment of a permanent delegate fund was referred. This evening a conference was held on the subject of foreign missions. Home mission and church extension are subjects for the special order on Monday.

African Methodist Church.

PHILADELPHIA, May 29.—The Baltimore and Philadelphia conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church in America, colored, is in session in this city. The action of the general Conference in consolidating the Baltimore and Philadelphia Conferences was indorsed. The annual address was delivered by Bishop Moore.

Missouri Episcopalians.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Bishop Auer, of West Africa, addressed the Episcopal Convention today

Railroad News.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPRINGFIELD, May 29.—The Springfield & Illinois Southeastern Railroad Company have been communicating with New York brokers for some time past to obtain money to extend their road from Beardstown, Ill., to Burlington, Iowa. The Company to-day received a letter from Bloodgood & Co., brokers in New York, who state that Wall street men, in view of the new Railroad law and its effects upon the railroad interest, have declined to place any more money into Illinois railroads.

ST. LOUIS, May 29.—A party of the Directors and stockholders of the Indiana & Illinois Central Railroad arrived here by the Toledo, Wabash & Western line this morning, having yesterday passed over their own completed line from the Wabash to Decatur. They express themselves highly pleased with the substantial quality of the road, richness of the country through which it runs, and the promising prospects of business. The party left for New York in the evening by the Vandalia line and Cincinnati.

NILES, Mich., May 29.—The Niles *Republican* of to-day has the following: "A letter from a Marshall correspondent appears in the Detroit *Tribune*, in which is detailed a statement of the points made by the parties interested in the stock of the Air Line Railroad between this city and Jackson in their injunction suit against the Michigan Central Company. We also have information, deemed reliable, that the employes on the Michigan Air Line and the Niles & South Bend Roads have had orders to hold themselves in readiness to remove the rolling stock and all moveable property from these two roads at a day's notice, with a view to abandoning them. We give the rumor, which comes to us from a source entitled to credit, for what it is worth."

BOSTON, May 29.—The Massachusetts House passed a bill which appropriates $300,000 for the completion of the Hoosac Tunnel, and requests the Governor and Council to report the most favorable use of the Tunnel to the next General Court.

NEW YORK, May 29.—It is reported that Alden B. Stockwell, President of the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad, has tendered his resignation to the Board of Directors, who will shortly take action on it. Mr. Andrew J. Pearce, Jr., Vice-President, will probably succeed him.

Jay Gould is said to be about leaving this city for the West, to participate in the election of Directors for the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad Company. The bulk of its stock is said to be held by Jay Gould, Horace F. Clarke Augustus Schell, and their allies.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 29.—This afternoon, Judges McKennan and Nixon, of the United States District Court of New Jersey, have engaged in hearing argument on the motion for a preliminary injunction restraining the New York & Long Branch Railroad Company from building a bridge over the mouth of the Raritan River, in New Jersey. The complainants are the Pennsylvania Railroad, lessees of the New Jersey Central. Theodore Cuyler, of Philadelphia, and Judge Scudder, are for the complainants, and Senator Frelinghuysen and Chancellor Williamson of New Jersey, for the respondents.

NEW YORK.

Proposed Retirement of a Police Commissioner — The Horse-Disease — Stolen Bonds—George Francis Train Pronounced Sane—Tweed and Ingersoll—Miscellaneous Items.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Question of George Francis Train's mental condition came before a Sheriff's Jury this afternoon, under the recent ruling of Justice Fancher. The jury was quickly impaneled. Under-Sheriff Stevens presided, but few spectators were present. The prosecution did not put in an appearance. The defense examined three witnesses. The jury rendered a verdict of sane almost instantly. Judge Fancher will probably discharge the prisoner to-morrow.

[To the Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, May 29.—Oliver Charlick, President of the Long Island Railroad, it is semi-officially announced, will retire in a short time from the Board of Police Commissioners. Mr. Charlick prefers his railroad and Long Island rather than municipal honors. He is talked of as likely to succeed James O'Brien in the State Senate.

The horse-disease has reached the Brooklyn City Railroad stables, and fears exist that the disease will again become general in that city. The horse-disease, which visited this city last fall, has reappeared at the stables of the Coney Island Car line, in Brooklyn. Seventy horses are now sick, and there have been two fatal cases.

The trial of "Johnny the Greek," the leading thief of the country, had to be postponed to-day in consequence of the absence of witnesses essential to his successful prosecution.

Two $10,000 bonds found in the package thrown away by Jim Brady, and registered of Amasa Stone, are believed to have been stolen from some bank in Ohio. A. P. Thompson, Cashier of the Port Jervis National Bank, has informed Inspector Dilkes that he believed others of the bonds were stolen from his bank. Col. Whitely has $15,000 worth of bonds supposed to have been stolen from the Glenn's Falls Bank, and found with two men who were arrested some time ago.

George H. Pendleton arrived to-day from Europe.

Application was made to Judge Davis to-day for a postponement of the trial of Tweed to October, based on the affidavits of John Wadham's illness. The motion was opposed by the District Attorney and Mr. Peckham, and the decision reserved.

In Ingersoll's case, Judge Fancher to-day denied a motion to set aside judgment, with leave to renew after the Court has passed upon the appeal, where the case has been taken by the people.

Bail in the case of Stephen English, editor of the *Insurance Times*, was reduced from $20,000 to $2,000.

The Post-Office at Lindon, New Jersew, was robbed, on Wednesday night, of all mail matter, including money-order letters containing $900. The work was done by burglars, who blew open the safe.

THE INDIANS.

Proposed Removal of the Winnebagos from Wisconsin to the Indian Territory—The Yankton Sioux—The Kickapoos—The Modocs.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

MADISON, Wis., May 29.—The agents appointed by the United States Government to facilitate the removal of the Winnebago Indians from this State to the Indian Territory are to have a grand council at Sparta, to-morrow, to hear the report of a delegation sent to inspect the lands offered them, and consider the question of removal. Gov. Washburn has been requested to be present. The lands offered are of the best in quality, and the location in all respects is excellent, but it is feared the love of Indians for the hunting-grounds of their fathers, the whisky which they cannot get in the Indian Territory, and the chances for thievery and begging from the whites, will disincline them to make the change. The people of Northwestern Wisconsin are very anxious, to be rid of them, and every effort will be made, short of using force, to effect their removal. Some warlike demonstrations of the Sioux, while in the territory, alarmed the Winnebago delegation.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—In further contradiction of Gen. Custar's report, John G. Gorsinan telegraphs: "To the best of my knowledge and belief not one of the Yankton Indians has left the reservation to join the hostile Indians on the Upper Missouri."

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—No news from the Modoc scout sent after Captain Jack.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—It is stated positively that the Government will sustain Col. McKenzie's pursuit and punishment of the Kickapoos on Mexican territory, and there is no reason to doubt that the recent visit of the Secretary of War to Texas had for its main object the arrangement and authorization of this plan for putting a stop to Indian depredations along the Mexican frontier.

Sporting.

BALTIMORE, May 29.—This was the third day of the spring meeting of the Maryland Jockey Club.

The first race, for 3-year olds, one and a quarter miles, was won by Joe Johnston, followed by Coronet, Planet, and John Preston. Time, 2:15. Planet was the favorite before the start.

The second race, Pimlico stakes, for all ages, two-mile heats, was won by Stockwood; Pennock's b. c. by Vandal, second; Sanford, third; Edwin distanced. Time, 3:48; 3:44½; 4:04.

The third race, free handicap stakes, all ages, one and three-quarter miles, was won by Echo, followed by Cadence, Teetotal, and Shylock. Time, 3:15.

The fourth race, a dash of four miles, all ages, was won by John Merryman; Village Blacksmith, second; Jackson, third. Time 7:45½.

PHILADELPHIA, May 29.—Base Ball—Philadelphias, 6; Baltimores, 3.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 29.—This was the second day of the trotting meeting. The race for 2:50 horses resulted:

Boyce's Captain	1	2	1	1
Spotted Tail	2	1	2	2
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Time—2:49½; 2:47½; 2:52¾; 2:53¾.

For 2:45 horses:

Josephine	1	1	1
Annie K	3	2	2
Luck	2	3	3

Time—2:37; 2:45; 2:43.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The following is the result of the trot at Fleetwood to-day for a purse of $450.

Topsy, to harness	1	1	1
Mercer, to wagon	2	2	2

Time—2:30¼; 2:33; 2:34; 2:35½.

Pools were sold to-night on the trot to take place to-morrow at Prospect Park, the prices being Gazelle, $100; Fullerton, $60.

Startle was driven to wagon on the Fleetwood course, yesterday, and made the first quarter in 34½ seconds, and the second quarter in 33¾, making the half-mile in 1 minute 7½ seconds, the best half-mile ever trotted to road wagon by any horse except Dexter.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Recently certain parties imported from England, at a cost of $1,000, a white Irish bull-dog, named Jackson, which had whipped everything in Great Britain, for the purpose of matching him against the celebrated white dog Brandy, which has won seventeen battles in this country, and has never been defeated. The match was made for $1,000, and the contest took place this afternoon on Long Island, in the presence of about 100 select spectators. After three hours, in which neither dog seemed to have the advantage, Jackson refused to scratch, and Brandy was declared the victor. Neither dog was injured. The betting was 100 to 50 on Brandy. About $4,000 changed hands.

New York Legislature.

ALBANY, May 29.—The industrial Exhibition bill has been amended and passed by the Senate, yeas, 20; nays, 7. The Assembly will probably concur in the amendments.

The Civil Damage bill, similar to the Ohio bill, passed both Houses.

In the Assembly this evening the Conference Committee on the New York and Brooklyn Bridge bill reported an agreement upon an amended bill. The report was agreed to. The amended bill leaves it optional with the two cities whether the Company will assume all the stock; secures additional direction to the cities in the affairs of the work and gives to the Common Councils the confirmation of all appointments which are to be made by the Mayors, in case all the stock is acquired. Quarterly reports are to be made and all meetings of Directors open to the public.

Louisville Colored Polytechnic Institute.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 29.—The statement in special Washington dispatches this morning that Senator Sumner received a letter from England, asking about one W. D. B. Morrill, soliciting aid in that country for the Colored Polytechnic Institute in this city, excites some inquiry here. It appears there is such an institution chartered, and Morrill was authorized to solicit funds to establish it, but it is not believed here that there is anything practical about the project. It has not been heard of for some time till present inquiry brought it up. Morrill's family live here, and he owns some property in Louisville.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The inscription of Tiglath Pileser, about which the papers have been making such a row, turns out to have been written by Susan B. Anthony, when she was a little child, playing in Tig's back yard.—*Ohio State Journal.*

—The *Pall Mall Gazette* says good-naturedly: "The Americans seem to be hard at work reconstructing their navy, though it is difficult to imagine why they should take so much trouble when future differences can be so easily adjusted by arbitration."

—As an illustration of the general experience of strangers, to-day, I will add that I have